

THE FAIR IS ALL RIGHT

Opens With Pleasant Weather, Fine Attractions and Good Exhibits in All Departments.

Never in the history of the Stevens Point fair did it open under more favorable auspices than this season. The weather thus far has been most delightful and the exhibits are deserving of commendation. Especially is this true in the live stock department, which was never as large and complete as at the present time. Herds of cattle, droves of sheep and pens of swine arrived here on Monday and Tuesday from distant points and local exhibitors have already added largely to make this show fully as good as one might expect to see at the state fair.

STOCK EXHIBITORS.

Three residents of the city, E. W. Sellers, V. P. Atwell and J. P. Malick, have fine herds of cattle on the grounds. Mr. Atwell alone having 18 Jerseys and 10 Holsteins. M. O'Keefe of Stockton is also a heavy exhibitor in the swine department and the Misses Clara and Grace Isherwood have entered two handsome yearling colts, while E. E. Bennett & Son have a number of swine. F. H. Meekin of Fond du Lac has a fine herd of cattle and a number of swine and Horace E. Whitaker of the same place has Aberdeen-Angus cattle, all of which are greatly admired. Sam Quaw of Wausau has sent 10 short horn Durham cattle and Timlin Bros. of Eden, Fond du Lac county, also have a fine show of short horn cattle. A. B. Moore of Campbellport has a number of Red Polled cattle and Chester White swine. E. B. Stanchfield of Fond du Lac has 11 Holstein-Friesian cattle and Gustav Lueck & Sons of Hamburg, Marathon county, have 13 pure bred registered Red Polled cattle. A. W. Dopke of North Milwaukee has 12 of the same breed and A. W. Arnold of Galesville has entered a car load containing 60 sheep of six different varieties, while J. H. Dixon of Brandon has 42 sheep of the same number of varieties. B. F. Wilson of Wausau has 7 Guernseys and 7 Aberdeen-Angus cattle and 12 Shropshire sheep. Arthur J. Plowman of Eldron has 10 Guernseys.

MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.

The machinery, carriage and wagon departments are well represented by our two leading dealers, the Anderson Van Hecke Co. and A. E. Bourn. The first named company have a large display of carriages and buggies manufactured by J. L. Clark of Oshkosh and they also show gas engines and farm implements of all descriptions. Mr. Bourn is exhibiting the famous Blue Ribbon buggies, as well as the DeLaval separators, potato diggers, sulky plows and other implements.

AGRICULTURAL HALL.

A view of the display of vegetables, fruits, canned goods and culinary products of all kinds that occupies shelves, tables and cases in agricultural hall would certainly increase the appetite of a hungry person and prove pleasing to the eye after he had satisfied his hunger. In this line there are a large number of exhibitors and of course all of them have brought their best.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT.

In this department there are a number of exhibitors from the city and country and the different kinds of fowls on exhibition are about equal in number to the number of exhibitors. Their names and other information will be given later.

EXPOSITION HALL.

In the main exhibition building considerable space is taken with displays from the art departments of the public and Normal schools and they will be highly appreciated by all who visit the fair this week. The large space in the center of the building is occupied with beautiful cut flowers and potted plants, while in the domestic department the display of fancy and needle work is probably the largest ever shown here. The Singer Sewing Machine Co., represented by A. E. Bourn, has several machines and other appliances, and Peter M. Adams, the plumber, has a fine exhibition, including a bath tub, shower bath apparatus, toilet, lavatory, etc.

FAIR NOTES.

Mayor Cashin has issued a proclamation asking business men and others to close their places on Thursday and Friday afternoons, that all may have an opportunity to attend the fair, and this request will be generally complied with.

The Martin Automatic Carrier Co. have one of their complete rigs on exhibition on the grounds, north of the main exhibition building.

A chair and settee made from horse bones by S. J. Lukasevich, of Custer, a curiosity that may be seen in the main building, and is a good piece of workmanship.

There are more special attractions, shows and amusement places on the grounds this year than ever before, and many others have been refused space by the management.

The Normal schools will close Thursday and Friday afternoons and the public and parochial schools will close Thursday afternoon and all day Friday. On Friday school children will be admitted free, tickets having been sent to all the schools in the county.

The night attractions, which commence this evening, and will consist of running races and motorcycle races, are being seven contestants in the latter, five from Wausau and two from this city, promise to draw large crowds. The free, acrobatic and trapeze performances, to be seen each day and evening, are alone worth more than the price of admission.

Probably the finest exhibit in the main vegetable line ever shown at local or county fair and brought from

any one particular locality, comes from the Portage county drainage district, or more commonly known as the Buena Vista marsh, and was entered by W. B. Coddington, who wishes all to see it, farmers, business men and citizens generally. This display is on exhibition in agricultural hall, and simply substantiates that which has been published in the past, that the marsh lands of Portage county, when properly drained, are great producers.

With the large entries of first-class horses in the trotting and running races, to be given this afternoon and on Thursday and Friday, they certainly will prove interesting.

Amherst Couple Married.

Lee Guyant and Miss Mabel Anderson, two popular young people from Amherst, spent a few hours in this city on Tuesday, and while here called at the M. E. parsonage, where Rev. C. F. Spray pronounced the words that made them man and wife. The groom is the second son of Mrs. A. W. Guyant, is engaged in farming, and is one of the best of young men. The bride has been employed in the telephone office at Amherst for some time, is a most worthy young lady and the innumerable friends of both wish for them a long and smooth voyage through life.

Big Yields on the Marsh.

Oats running 51 bushels to the acre is not an ordinary crop for Portage county lands, but this average was maintained on a tract grown during the past season by John Kramer, one of the farmers on the Buena Vista drainage district. Mr. Kramer also raised six acres of flax this year from which he threshed 80 bushels of seed, or upwards of 13 bushels to the acre. Flax is a new crop for this section, but it is understood that in the western country where thousands of acres are sown, the average yield is eight to ten bushels. The market price for this seed runs from \$1.25 to \$2.00 per bushel.

The Prize Winners.

Prizes in the baby show, given at the Grand all last week, were announced by Manager Bronson on Sunday evening. Paul, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Jacobs, got first, a diamond ring given by E. A. Arenberg, with 321 votes; Margaret, the five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marty Lee, second, a neck chain and locket given by Reton Bros. & Co., 253 votes; Isabel, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ash, third, a pair of shoes from Alex Ringness, with 213 votes; the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Porter, of Stockton, fourth, a teddy bear from the manager, with 169 votes.

RURAL CARRIERS HERE

They Hold Semi-Annual Gathering in Stevens Point on Labor Day—Questions Discussed.

Eighteen rural mail carriers and substitutes met in semi-annual meeting in this city on Monday afternoon, when matters of interest to all were discussed, especially the question of good roads and the "pennies in the box" matter. There is not a road over which the carriers travel but could be improved, but some are much worse than others and in bad condition. Attempts to make improvements by people lacking previous experience, sometimes put the roads in worse condition than before, proving a nuisance to travelers and costly lessons to the taxpayers. All road work should be done under the direction of a competent head. "Pennies in the box," placed there for the carriers to pay for a stamp that he is to put on a letter or package, is all right during pleasant weather, but when winter comes and he is obliged to dig down in the box, sometimes half full of ice or snow, to get those pennies, it's a song of a different tune.

Ben. Halverson, of Rosholt, who was a delegate to the state convention held some time ago, made his report, and Henry Curran, assistant postmaster of Stevens Point, addressed the carriers in a pleasant and appreciative manner. Those present were: Wm. Dugan, W. F. Cartmill, Dan and Frank Maddy, Wm. Black and D. C. Vaughn; Louis E. J. Grover, Junction City; Louis Ariens, Dancy; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson, Amherst; Theos. S. Kubisiak and Fred Ingram, Amherst Junction; Smith Harroun, Plover; Ben. Hanson and Ben. Halverson, Rosholt; Frank Konopacki, Polonia; Sam. J. Lukasevich, Custer; Ralph and Thos. Potter, Bancroft.

The annual meeting will be held at Amherst, Feb. 22, 1910.

Invents Shooting Trap.

An informal tournament of the Wisconsin River Gun Club was held at the grounds near the Wisconsin River paper mills last Sunday, when an opportunity was given to shoot at "blue rocks" whirled through the air by a trap invented by and built under the direction of Jack McCorkindale. The general mechanism is similar to the trap long in use, but through a new device it gives the rotary motion so necessary when the so-called blue rocks are released and sent sailing through the air. By a simple turn of a lever on the part of the operator, the imitation birds may be shot forth at almost any angle, which is also an improvement on other traps. The value of Mr. McCorkindale's invention may be better realized when it is stated that the trap heretofore in use at the club grounds cost \$75 to install, besides a yearly rental of \$10. A patent has been applied for and it is hoped that the inventor will realize well on his new device.

IT'S ALD. FIRKUS NOW

Council Elects Successor to N. M. Urbanowski, Resigned, in Fourth Ward—Last Night's Meeting.

The council met in regular meeting last evening with three members absent, Gee, McDonald and Urbanowski. The comptroller reported the amount of cash on hand in the various funds Sept. 1st, and the report was placed on file. Thereafter considerable discussion followed as to the manner of keeping the several funds, and it was advocated by City Attorney Owen, Mayor Cashin and others that some system be arranged, and for that purpose Ald. Schenk moved that a committee consisting of the board of public works, the mayor and three others be appointed. This motion was carried and the mayor stated that he would name the other members of the committee later. A list of those receiving aid from the city was read and the lighting committee recommended that a light be installed at the corner of Illinois avenue and Madison street, which report was adopted. J. B. Carpenter, acting police justice, reported that he had received and turned over to the treasurer the sum of \$50 collected by him for fines. Ald. Abb introduced a resolution requesting Felix Kamrowski to remove at once all lumber owned by him and piled upon the city property at engine house No. 1, and the resolution was adopted.

A resolution by Ald. Redfield provides that the mayor and clerk shall file with the state authorities complaint against the Water Co. to the effect that they are furnishing insufficient water pressure, their rates are unreasonable, unjust and discriminating, and they are not furnishing spring water according to their contract. This resolution was adopted.

A letter from the Iowa Engineering Co., who prepared the sewer plans for the city, was to the effect that it would be impracticable to change the measurements on N. Second street, and that it is best to adhere strictly to plans. The communication was placed on file. The mayor reported that a Neenah company would furnish catch basins for \$25 each, a sample of which has been received in the city, and upon motion of Ald. Schenk this matter was left to the board of public works with power to act.

The city attorney presented the necessary papers providing for the paving of N. Second street from Normal avenue to Washington street, the estimated cost of which is \$3,500.24, and a resolution ordering the work done and authorizing the advertising for bids, was adopted. He also reported that he thought it unnecessary and undesirable to make a change in the present sewer on that street, and this report was accepted.

Ald. Abb introduced a resolution providing for the purchase of a gauge for testing the water pressure and have the same sent to Madison to ascertain its accuracy. This was adopted, as was also another resolution by the same alderman providing for the moving of a hydrant near the corner of Wood and Shawnette streets, and placing another hydrant near the Cove Furniture Co. plant. Ald. Schenk moved that the chief of fire department notify the railroad company and others to cover all sawdust near their right-of-way with sand and thus avoid the danger of fire. This was carried.

The mayor reported that the sewer work done by Mr. Cauley had been completed and accepted and he recommended that the contractor be paid in full and his surety released, which report was adopted. Upon motion of Ald. Urbanowski, Mr. Cauley was allowed \$10 for the use of jacks, curbing, etc., used by the city. The chief of police was instructed on motion of Ald. Abb to see that no more rubbish is dumped on Fifth avenue near the Soo railway. He also reported that 14 alarm boxes were out of commission at one time, and the chief of fire department was requested to investigate. Upon motion of Ald. Hodson the fire committee was authorized to purchase blankets and 50 feet of small hose for use at engine house No. 2 and a wagon for company No. 1.

Ald. Urowski called attention to the condition of certain walks on Union street, both north and south of Normal avenue, and the clerk was requested to notify D. E. Frost and J. Iverson to make necessary improvements without delay. Men employed as regular street cleaners will hereafter receive \$20 per month instead of \$15, thanks being due to Ald. Abb.

The mayor announced the appointment of Mrs. R. A. Cook, J. W. Dugan, Prof. Hyer and Dr. Southwick as members of the library board.

A ballot to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Ald. Urbanowski, resulted in 5 votes for Anton Firkus and 4 for Mike Friday. A motion to make the ballot formal was carried, although Ald. Pagel, Abb and Schenk voted no. The council then adjourned.

Woman's Big Day.

Between 75 and 100 people from Stevens Point visited Wausau last Thursday and enjoyed the big day at the Marathon County Fair. Wausau is getting to be quite a big town, had a big fair and enjoys big things generally, having the highest crowd in attendance last Thursday that was ever seen on the grounds. The fair was first-class in all departments. The people of Wausau take pride in telling what they have, as well as what they expect to have, and never seem to tire "talking Wausau." This is the right spirit, the kind that counts and always wins out no matter how warm the contest. The fair races were good, while the special attractions were most pleasing.

HIS BURNS WERE FATAL

Paul Munsche, a Stranger, Crawls Into Rubbish Receptacle, Clothing Gets on Fire—Dies in Hospital.

Paul Munsche, a stranger in this locality, met with a fatal accident last Friday afternoon, death resulting at Mercy hospital shortly after six o'clock on Monday evening. Frank Glenz, clerk at the E. A. Arenberg jewelry store, 447 Main street, had occasion to go to the back door of their place of business at about 5 o'clock Friday afternoon, and looking out he saw a man, with his clothing all ablaze, endeavoring to crawl through an opening of a combined smokehouse and rubbish burner near the rear of the V. Bellach market. After going to the man's assistance and getting him through the small opening, Frank quickly secured a couple of pails of water and dashed them over the blackened form, extinguishing the fire. The patrol wagon was then called and Chief Hafsoos took the man to Mercy hospital, where he was attended by Drs. von Neupert and Walters. His hands were so badly burned that the nails and skin dropped off, his face and head were covered with burns and scars and his body was scorched and blistered from his waist to his feet, while there were also burns on his back, his condition being most pitiable.

Munsche had been around the city for about a week, during much of which time he was the worse for liquor, and some time during Friday afternoon crawled into the small brick structure in which rubbish and waste paper are thrown and burned on one side of a brick partition and meats are smoked on the other. When or what induced him to do this, he could not tell, and in fact had no recollection of what happened during the entire day. He had matches in one of his pockets when rescued, and it is possible that he set the rubbish on fire himself, although it may have started in some other manner, and but for the accidental and timely appearance of Mr. Glenz, the unfortunate stranger would undoubtedly have perished on the spot. When taken to the hospital the man was suffering the most excruciating pain, but this was relieved by the attending physicians, and the prospects of his recovery seemed quite satisfactory up to the afternoon of his death. He did not complain, and when talked to by a representative of this paper at about 1 o'clock Monday forenoon, he said he had rested quite well, except at night, when the burns caused much uneasiness.

The unfortunate was a young man, in the prime of life, about 43 years of age, and of robust physique. He said he had made his home with a brother, Herman, near Oshkosh, and his father, and another brother live near Embarras, Waupaca county. These were notified by Chief Hafsoos the following trade, and a couple of years ago was employed for a short time at the Miller shop at the South Side.

Herman Munsche, the brother who resides near Oshkosh, arrived here this morning, and after settling all bills incurred by the accident and death of Paul, left with the remains on Soo train No. 6 at 10:12 this forenoon. The body will be interred in a neighboring cemetery, about four miles from Oshkosh.

NORMAL NOTES.

School will be dismissed Thursday and Friday afternoons so that the students may attend the fair.

A new boys' class in physical training was started Tuesday under the direction of Miss Macdonald.

Football practice started Monday afternoon. Enough of the boys have turned out to make two full teams, and the chances for another state championship look very promising. Two games have already been scheduled with Oshkosh on Oct. 6 and 20.

A very pleasant reception was tendered by the faculty to the students on Friday evening. As each of the guests entered the gymnasium, he was "tagged" with his or her name, thus enabling everyone to know everyone else without the formality of an introduction. Refreshments were served during the evening. The program included songs by a male quartet, composed of Messrs. Hill, Halverson, Steiner and Reyer, and by Miss Menaul, the new music teacher. The entertainment was brought to a pleasant close by a grand march.

The following class officers have been elected:

Seniors—Pres., John F. Weinberger; vice pres., H. M. Halverson; sec., Eva LaDuque; treas., Elmer Geraldson; serg., Hazel Waltersdorf.

Juniors—Pres., Elmer Adams; vice pres., R. Olson; sec., Miss Metcalf; treas., T. Olson.

Elementary—Pres., John Geimer; vice pres., Helen Brady; sec., Miss Bigelow; treas., Miss Wilson.

The four school societies will have their first meetings on Friday evening. The Forum will present the following program:

Talk..... Fred Somers
Debate: Resolved, That a graduate income tax be adopted by congress to cover all incomes of \$2,500 a year or over. Affirmative, Reynold Olson, Ed. Mach; negative, Elmer Geraldson, Peter Majerus.
The Athenaeum program follows:
Talk..... Prof. Bacon
Recitation..... Milo Wood
Debate: Resolved, That it is the best interests of the United States that Congress enact a law providing for a deep waterway system from the lakes to the gulf. Affirmative, Paul Carlson, Fred Ambrose; negative, Geo. Everson, Mark Billings.
Parliamentary Practice Herbert Steiner
Critics Report..... Prof. Bacon

Adopt Wisconsin Methods.

W. W. Hammond, of Peoria, Ill., one of the principal owners of lands in the Portage County drainage district, left for the south, Tuesday, after spending several weeks here. Mr. Hammond also has large interests in an Indiana drainage district, and the frosts of last week did much damage to their growing crops, especially corn, and next season he will have his tenants adopt Wisconsin methods, plant more potatoes, oats, rye, etc., and less late corn.

Great Attraction at Schubert.

Surpassing all other theatrical offerings of state fair week in Milwaukee is "Blue Jeans," a pastoral drama, which will be the attraction at the Schubert theatre, being produced by the Friend Players, whose reputation as a standard stock ensemble remains unequaled. "Blue Jeans" was written by Joseph Arthur and is famous as a comedy drama for two reasons. At its premiere in New York years ago, the bicycle was for the first time introduced to the public. Second, because of the scene in the third act when a saw mill in operation is shown on the stage. Blue Jeans tells the story of the life and love of June, a waif found deserted in the village of Rising Sun, Ind. Throughout the action of the piece is a subtle vein of humor which keeps the audience, considering the concomitant sentiment, in a half-laughing, half-sobbing mood. Blue Jeans will be the Friend Players' attraction at the Schubert every night, with matinees on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, at prices that are popular.

Base Ball Games.

The Athletics added another victory to their string when they easily defeated the Eagles, Sunday, by a score of 7 to 3. Up to the eighth the game looked like a shutout for the national birds, the Athletics already having six runs. However, in this inning, with two down, the Eagles secured three lucky runs. Both pitchers went along in fine style with Menzel having the better of it. He was also backed up in better style than his opponent, the players back of him going along without a slip until the eighth. Although Kutella was hit rather freely he had quite a number of strikeouts to his credit. A large crowd witnessed the game. The Athletics play at the Amherst fair Friday and play Amherst here Sunday.

The Papermakers were defeated in the last game of a series of three with Amherst, and which was played on the grounds near the Wisconsin River Paper mills last Sunday afternoon. This was the only game of the series lost by the local aggregation. The game was close and interesting. Altho Mike Marx allowed only half as many hits and struck out twice the number of men as did Wallace, the Amherst boys' Indian pitcher, loose playing on the part of the Papermakers was the cause of their defeat. The attendance at this contest was very good and all went away well satisfied. The manager of the Papermakers wishes to thank the fans for their liberal contribution and hopes they will again attend with all their friends. Following is the score by innings:

Amherst.....2 0 2 0 0 0 0 4—8
Papermakers.....0 0 3 0 3 1 0—7

Former Residents Married.

Dr. Henry W. Silvernale, of Mukwanago, and Miss Buelah Almira Thompson, of Madison, were married at Kankakee, Ill., on Monday evening last and will be at home after Oct. 1st at Mukwanago. Both are former popular young Stevens Pointers, the groom having been engaged here in the practice of his profession as a dental surgeon, and the bride held the position of stenographer and clerk at the Normal for a couple of years. The very many friends of the Dr. and his fair bride join in extending their felicitations.

Some Butter and Cheese.

According to reports filed in the office of the county clerk, there are now 27 creameries in Portage county, of a total value of \$34,755. These creameries are supported by 2,096 patrons, with 14,933 cows. For the fiscal year 2,670,142 pounds of cream were received at the various creameries, and this was taken from 24,372,207 pounds of milk, and which made 2,206,366 pounds of butter. The total cash received for this product was \$519,997. There are two cheese factories in the county of a value of \$2,700, with 43 patrons and 400 cows. There were 1,286,000 pounds of milk received and 127,200 pounds of cheese were manufactured, amounting to \$15,916.

Jewish New Year.

The Jewish New Year will commence next Wednesday, the 15th inst., and the celebration embraces seven days and lasts from the day of Rosh Hoshanah (new year) until Yom Kippur (the day of atonement).

It matters little whether a Jew be good or bad during the celebration. He may be the worst sort of Hebrew according to a strict interpretation of religious rite, but this is the occasion on which he rebuilds anew his bonds of allegiance to the church and saves himself from a total breaking away from the faith of his fathers.

The celebration is one of the most ancient in Hebrew history, dating back to the time of Moses. The book of Leviticus tells of the celebration having been ordered direct from the mouth of God through Moses to the children of Israel.

The symbolical meaning of the day of atonement which closes the celebration is that it foretells the final day of atonement.

KNIGHTS GO TO ANTIGO

Class of Sixty-Five Initiated Into the Mysteries of the Knights of Columbus on Labor Day.

About sixty-five candidates were initiated into the Knights of Columbus, at Antigo, last Monday afternoon, ten being from Stevens Point and the others from Wausau, Merrill, Rhinelander and other points. The first degree was given the local candidates at the Eagles' hall, Sunday afternoon, by the home team, J. I. Sicklesteel acting as Grand Knight. At Wausau the second degree was given by the Antigo team, R. C. Deutsch filling the position of Grand Knight, and the third degree was given by a Chicago team, with Jas. J. Kelly at the head. Following the initiation a banquet was given at Odd Fellows hall, served by the Ladies of the Maccabees, and thereafter all who wished to dance were invited to participate in the good time that followed.

Members of the Stevens Point Council that attended were D. I. Sicklesteel, Jas. B. Sullivan, Alois Gross, D. J. Leahy, Chas. H. Cashin, Bernard McLaughlin and A. H. Giszczinski, the latter from Amherst Junction, all of whom went by auto except Mr. Gross. The candidates were Leroy B. Curran, Jos. M. Doyle, J. W. Clifford, Jr., Earl P. Kelly, Matthew Ryan, Edward J. Gibbons, of this city, Chas. P. Dineen and Henry Leary of Arnott, Michael Hopkins of Lanark, and Robt. L. Nash of Grand Rapids. All speak highly of Antigo hospitality, no effort being spared to provide a good time for the visitors.

Murdered at Rhinelander.

Wm. Scofield, a brother-in-law of Chas. Chafee and W. B. LaSalle, of Rhinelander, former residents of this city, was murdered in the basement of the Wisconsin Veneer company's plant at that place, last Saturday night. Scofield was employed as night foreman at the mill and he was killed with a wagon stake, his skull being crushed in several places. Two employees of the company, Louis Aseline and Hans Thompson, are suspected, the first named being arrested immediately after the body was found and the police were after the other.

Entertained Lady Friends.

Two very pleasant whist parties were given by Mesdames C. E. Edwards and O. O. Little, at the home of the former on Main street, last Thursday and Friday afternoons. About fifty ladies were entertained each day and on Thursday Mrs. G. E. Oster succeeded in winning the first prize and Mrs. Jennie Cadman the second. Friday afternoon Miss Josephine Allen of Wilmette made the most points and Mrs. N. Gross was a close second. Mrs. Root of New York city and Mrs. Peter Bieker of Milwaukee received with the hostesses. The rooms were very prettily decorated with autumn flowers, cosmos predominating.

OVER HALF CENTURY HERE

Wm. Zimmer, Who Died Last Saturday, Came to Stevens Point in 1856—Funeral Tuesday.

Wm. Zimmer passed away at his home at 12:45 o'clock last Saturday afternoon after a comparatively short illness, although he had not been in the best of health for a year or more. For about five weeks before the final dissolution he was confined to the house, but had been in bed for less than one week and death was caused by general debility. Mr. Zimmer was a well known pioneer and was best known to the older residents. He had been a cripple in one limb since childhood and had always been obliged to walk with the aid of a crutch.

William Zimmer was born in Villigen, Germany, and was 75 years of age on the 17th of last March. He located in Stevens Point when a young man, in 1856, engaging in the shoemaking business, and opened a small shop near the west end of Main street. This he continued for several years, but for 40 years or more had been engaged in the retail liquor trade, first where the C. O. D. block now stands and later on Water street, which he continued up to the time of his death. Mr. Zimmer was married in this city to Miss Mary Wagner, Nov. 25, 1861. Mrs. Zimmer died June 3rd of last year and they are survived by seven children. Louis G. Zimmer of Eau Claire, Mrs. Claude Parker, Otto Zimmer and Mrs. C. H. Packard of this city, Mrs. J. H. Smith of Sheridan, Wyoming, Rudolph Zimmer of Anaconda and Alex Zimmer of this city. He also leaves three brothers, John and Conrad Zimmer of this city, and Frederick Zimmer of Rochester, N. Y. An only sister, Mrs. Geo. Streckel, died a couple of months ago.

The deceased was well known and generally respected for his honesty in business and transactions generally. He was a charter member of Stumpf Lodge of Odd Fellows and there is now only one charter member of that organization living, his brother John.

The funeral took place at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the residence and thence to the Friedens Gemeinde church, services being conducted by Rev. R. Katerndahl. Stumpf Lodge had charge of the funeral and conducted services at the grave. The pallbearers were Louis Fort, Geo. Urban, Fred Stieler, Henry Prell, Adolph Roesick and Chas. Helm. The children were all present except Mrs. Smith, who was unable to attend. Others here from outside were Mrs. Louis Zimmer of Eau Claire, Mrs. Theo. Butler of Wausau, Mrs. David Lutz and daughter and Jacob Lutz of Grand Rapids.

Not Sisters

Now and again you see two women passing down the street who look like sisters. You are astonished to learn that they are mother and daughter, and you realize that a woman at forty or forty-five ought to be at her general and finest. Why isn't it so? The general health of woman is so intimately associated with the local health of the essentially feminine organs that there can be no red cheeks and round form where there is female weakness.

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Miss Caroline Soellner,
Supt. Lakeside Hospital Training School for Nurses, 4147 Lake Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Married at Escanaba.

Arnold Herman, of Lena, this state, and Mrs. Nellie Verrill, of Escanaba, Mich., both former residents of Stevens Point, were married at the Baptist parsonage at Escanaba on Monday of last week. The attendants were Miss Effie Johnson and Fred Herman, brother of the groom. The bride was attired in dove colored satin and the bridesmaid wore a gown of white silk. Immediately after the ceremony an elaborate dinner was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. R. Schwartz, after which an automobile was procured to carry the wedding party to Marinette, where a sumptuous supper was awaiting them at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Wm. Betts. The following morning the bridal couple left for Chicago and Eaton, Ohio, and will also visit the Ohio state fair at Columbus, going from there to Chillicothe, and thence to Milwaukee, Fond du Lac and their former home town, Stevens Point. They will reside at Lena, being "at home" to friends after the 20th inst.

Leading Daily Paper.

The Milwaukee Daily Journal is offered for the next few weeks with The Gazette for \$3.25 per year, strictly in advance. Think of it! A metropolitan daily paper and your own local paper for only \$3.25. Bring your subscription to The Gazette office before this offer is withdrawn.

The Bride's Linen Room.

If a groom elect has not provided an extra room to his house for storing his bride's linen he should build it in time, for in these days whenever a girl marries her mother closes her lips grimly, goes after pa's pocketbook and does the right thing with nine dozen towels, fifteen dozen napkins, eighty-four pairs of sheets, etc. She doesn't expect her daughter to open a boarding house, but she has proper pride and intends to do the right thing by the girl even if it breaks pa.—Arlinson Globe.

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WEATHER FOR SEPTEMBER

Hicks Predicts Many Storms During Present Month, Followed by Bad October Weather.

After predicting cooler weather during the past few days, Hicks says that a regular storm period is central on the 10th, and storms of notable character will organize and take up their eastward march. These conditions will grow in magnitude and force during the 11th, 12th, and possibly up to the 14th.

A reactionary storm period is central on the 15th, 16th and 17th. A regular storm period is central on the 21st. By the 21st these conditions will bring on storms of rain, wind and thunder, and during the 21st to 23rd these storms will touch most parts of the country in their eastward sweep to the Atlantic.

A regular storm period is centralized on the 26th, 27th and 28th. This period leads into the Mercury disturbance, which begins about the 27th and runs into October. The crisis of this period promises to be retarded, so as to fall on and touching the 28th to 30th. Marked storm conditions will prevail over most sections of the country at this time, with promise of prolonged disturbances into the first few days of October. This really promises to be the turning period, when summer conditions will give place to autumnal, and when tropical storms will make a last battle with boreal influences and be immediately followed by change to much cooler weather and frosts over much of the country to the northward.

Married at Waupaca.

Herbert King and Miss Jennie Parks, both of this city, were married at Waupaca last Wednesday evening, Rev. Webster Millar performing the ceremony at his residence. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Parks, 704 Illinois avenue, for some time had been employed at the Frost fly factory, and is popular with all who know her. The groom is a son of Mrs. Nellie King, 904 Shaurette street, and has been employed by F. O. Hodsdon, the milk dealer. He is a firstclass young man, and both bride and groom have the well wishes of all. They have rooms at the J. P. Chesley residence on Strongs avenue for the present.

South Texas.

In its annual industrial edition issued Sept. 1, The Galveston News makes a special feature of South Texas. The industries of this section of the state are taken up one by one in special articles, showing the progress made. These articles were written only after a careful investigation of actual conditions. They show a wonderful diversity of agricultural products, such as can not be found in any other portion of the country. In many instances illustrations of successful fruit and truck growing operations are given, while the reproduction of photographs adds to the value of the issue. The important questions of drainage and irrigation in South Texas are treated in a page article in the South Texas section of this issue.

Good Position Open.

Notice is hereby given that a general competitive examination will be held throughout the state on Saturday, October 2nd, for the position of Chief Deputy Oil Inspector in the department of the state supervisor of inspectors of illuminating oils. Preferred ages 30 to 50 years. Salary \$1,200 per annum and traveling expenses.

No person is eligible to enter this examination who is pecuniarily interested, either directly or indirectly, in the manufacture, refining, sale or vending of oils or other petroleum products used for illuminating, heating or power purposes. The successful candidate shall give a bond for the faithful performance of his duties as provided by law for deputy oil inspectors.

Duties: Under the direction of the supervisor of inspectors, to assist in overseeing all deputy inspectors of illuminating oils, to instruct them in the performance of their duties, to collect evidence in cases of violations, and to perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the supervisor of inspectors. Candidates must have detective ability.

Subjects of Examination	Weights
1. Preliminary paper and oral interview,	6
2. Practical questions on oil and gasoline inspection	4
Total	10

This notice contains all the information that will be given out to candidates regarding the examination for the above mentioned position. All persons interested are requested to send at once to the State Civil Service Commission, Madison, for application blanks. These blanks should be filled out and forwarded so as to reach the office of the commission at Madison not later than 10 a. m. Saturday, September 25, 1909.

Mr. Harriman's health is said to be much better since he got home. He it ever so humble, there is no place like it for a sick man.

Local News Notes.

Girl wanted at once. Call at 451 Main street.

Miss Sara Avery visited with relatives at Waupaca, last week.

Miss Ida Glover left for Minneapolis, last Friday morning, where she may remain for several months.

Miss Olive Pfiffner left for Evaeth, Minn., last Saturday morning, to resume her school duties as teacher.

Dr. J. W. Bird, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, 428 Main street, opposite the two banks, Stevens Point, Wis.

Mrs. Ann Wallace returned last week after a visit of several weeks among scenes of her girlhood in New Brunswick.

Now is the time to get a gas stove, and the Lighting Co. are prepared to furnish the celebrated Acorn, the best made.

P. J. Bresnahan, a former Stevens Point, has sold his saloon interests at Plainfield. Martin Plonke, Jr., is the new proprietor.

Miss Rosella Houlehan, of Tomahawk, has been visiting her cousins, the Misses Mullen, on Franklin street, for the past few days.

Miss Maud McCommond, of Oshkosh, has been visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Max Krembs, on Water street, for a few days.

The Don C. Hall theatrical company have been in Indiana for some time, playing at Laketon last week and at Warren the week before.

If your horse is lame, interferes or is not going right, bring him to F. F. Kirsling, the Normal ave. horseshoer, who guarantees his work.

Miss Hattie Hein left for Chicago last Thursday morning to resume her position as a member of the faculty at the Hinsaw Conservatory of Music.

Miss Carrie Gilbertson left for Wautoma, last Saturday, where on Monday she commenced her third year as a teacher in the public schools of that village.

Dr. Moritz Krembs visited at Waupaca last Wednesday, and that evening acted in the capacity of best man at the wedding of Andrew B. Nelson and Miss Nellie E. Gordon.

Miss Claudina Halverson left for Red Wing, Minn., last week to enter the Young Ladies Lutheran Seminary as an instructor in music, and from which institution she graduated last June.

Peter Trierweiler, Jr., horse shoeing, general blacksmithing and all kinds of wood working. Special attention given to all work. Replacing and putting on rubber tires. Brick shop, 308 Clark street.

Joseph Szaranski, a young fellow who was arrested several weeks ago on a statutory offense and had since been in jail, was sentenced to seventeen months in state prison, last Friday, by Judge Murat.

Dr. John Lewis, who recently graduated from Rush Medical College, Chicago, will spend the coming year in that city, having decided to accept work as an interne in a hospital, which will prove valuable practice.

During the month of August the local police department made fifteen arrests, eight of whom paid fines and costs, three have not yet paid, three were discharged during good behavior and one was sent to the Northern Hospital.

Miss Bertha Feldman, of Plainfield, who visited with her aunt, Miss Ida Glover, for several days, left for her home last Thursday, and will have charge of the commercial department in the High school of her home town this year.

Mrs. Mary Krembs left for Chicago, Sunday night, to visit her daughter for a couple of weeks, after which she will return to Milwaukee, where she will rent a furnished house and keep roomers, in which line she will no doubt be very successful.

Mrs. Mary D. Bradford, formerly connected with the Stevens Point Normal, but who has been in the Stout school at Menomonee during the past three years, has accepted the position of director of the kindergarten training department in the Whitewater Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin Porter, of Portland, Maine, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Agnes, to Dr. Wm. W. Gregory, which event took place on Tuesday, Aug. 31st, as announced last week. The Dr. and bride will be at home in this city after Oct. 1st.

Miss Leila Nelson left for Downsville, Dunn county, last Saturday, where she will teach in the public school for the coming year. On Tuesday evening a number of young ladies were entertained in her honor by Misses Evelyn Glennon and Helen Swan at the home of Miss Behrendt.

Miss Emily Spalenka, one of Stevens Point's successful teachers and worthy young ladies, has returned to North Yakima, Wash., where she taught during the past few years. A postal from her while enroute, dated at Field, B. C., bore this message: "I am in the mountains and am enjoying the scenery. It is certainly grand."

L. D. Kitowski, J. J. Kryger and E. L. and Howard Ross are four Stevens Point gentlemen who are traveling representatives for the Jung Shoe Co. of Sheboygan. The latter three left for their respective territories in Minnesota, Iowa, the Dakotas and Wisconsin on Monday, and the first named will get away this week.

Lloyd D. Smith, the Amherst attorney, has become associated with E. L. and E. E. Browne, of Waupaca, succeeding Wm. E. Fisher, who has moved to Merrill. Mr. Smith has been engaged in the practice of law for several years, and while The Gazette does not relish his removal from the county, it realizes that Waupaca affords a better field for the practice of his profession.

The Good Time Club was entertained last Thursday evening by Mrs. Eugene Tack and Miss Mary Tack, when Mrs. N. Gross carried off first prize at whist, a Haviland china cup and saucer, while Mrs. Geo. T. Wakefield was awarded the consolation. Among the guests were Mrs. Paul Neumann, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, Mrs. Eugene McAlvey, of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. John J. Vance, of Sioux Falls, S. D.

The million or so of Berliners who greeted Count Zeppelin's airship on the Sabbath add one more testimonial to the total depravity of "the continental Sunday."

WILL VOTE ON LICENSE

Special Election to Be Held on Tuesday, Sept. 21st, to Vote on Question of Increasing License.

S. G. Stoddard, Walter Eddy and two hundred other residents and taxpayers of the city on Friday last filed a petition with the city clerk requesting him to call a special election for Tuesday, Sept. 21st, at which time the question of raising the retail liquor license from \$200 to \$500 per annum will be submitted to the voters. One year ago a similar move was made, but the petition was not legally arranged and an injunction prohibiting the election was granted by Judge Webb. The present petition reads as follows:

To M. V. Gross, clerk of the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin. We, the undersigned, qualified electors of the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin, hereby request you in writing, pursuant to Section 1548b of the Wisconsin Statutes for the year 1899, as amended by Chapter 490 of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1907, to call a special election to be held on the third Tuesday of September next, (September 21, 1909,) in said city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin, for the purpose of determining whether or not the amount to be paid for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquors, to be drunk on the premises, within the said city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin, shall be increased from Two Hundred Dollars to Five Hundred Dollars.

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| C G Macnisch | R A Cook |
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Special features for the Wisconsin State Fair are announced as follows: Tuesday, Sept. 14—Match race between Dan Patch and Minor Heir, the two fastest race horses in the world. Wednesday, Sept. 15—Head-on railway engine collision. Friday, Sept. 17—Visit and address by President Taft. Every evening, in front of the grand stand will be given the great fire scene, "The Burning of Chicago," also stock show in pavilion.

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The deceased is survived by a widow and four children, Helen, Lucy, Frank and Leo, besides one brother and three sisters, Ben of Prentice, Mrs. Julia Somers of Fancher, Mrs. Mattie Kitowski of this city, and Mrs. Lucy Berry of Seattle.

The funeral took place last Sunday forenoon, the remains being taken to Grand Rapids, where they were interred in the Catholic cemetery, Rev. Father Redding of that city officiating. The funeral mass was held at St. Peter and Paul's church at 8 o'clock on Monday morning.

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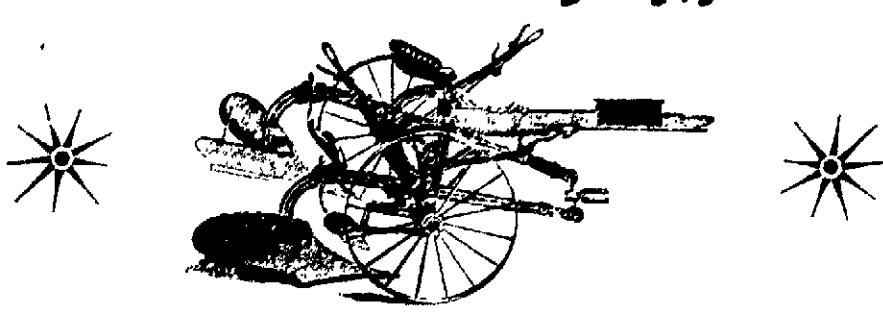
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SOUTH SIDE AND RAILROAD

Personal and News Items of More or Less Importance to Readers of The Gazette.

Mrs. H. Schroeder, of North Fond du Lac, is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. O. Sager, of North Fond du Lac, has been visiting among relatives and friends here for a few days.

Harold McCullum is up from North Fond du Lac, visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Rose McCullum.

Miss Lucile Mallory, of Benton Harbor, Mich., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. P. E. Noble, to make an extended visit.

W. E. Macklin returned from his Canadian trip, last Saturday. Mrs. Macklin is making a more extended visit.

Harvey Bannister, of El Paso, Texas, is spending a few days visiting his brother, H. L., and renewing acquaintances in this city.

Mrs. F. E. Noble entertained about twenty young ladies at tea, Friday afternoon, in honor of her niece, Miss Lucile Mallory, of Benton Harbor, Mich.

Mrs. Geo. Derby, of Wausau, and Miss Anna Rasmussen, of Waupaca, arrived here last of the week for a visit at the home of Mrs. W. E. Teichert.

Misses Mayme Griffin and Hazel Johnson, who are employed in the Soo offices at Minneapolis, spent a few hours in the city last Sunday while on their way to Chicago to spend labor day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Love spent Sunday in Green Bay, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. O'Keefe. They were accompanied here by Miss Frances O'Keefe, who will spend some time here.

A number of young lady friends were entertained by Miss Frances Baker, at her home on Elk street, Saturday evening, in honor of Miss Katherine MacGillis, of Milwaukee, who was visiting in the city.

Miss Marjorie Smith has gone to Amherst to attend the fair and visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sawtell and little daughter are down from Wausau to attend the fair and visit his parents.

Miss Catherine MacGillis, who had been visiting relatives and friends here for several days, returned to her home in Milwaukee this morning.

Mrs. M. W. and Miss Sadie Buck entertained a number of lady friends at six o'clock dinner, last Friday evening, in honor of their guest, Mrs. H. C. Maggard, of Houston, Tex.

Miss Frances Baker will enroll next week as a student at Carroll College, Waukesha. She and her mother, Mrs. C. B. Baker, will go to Milwaukee the latter part of this week and Mr. Baker will also go down to remain over Sunday.

MECHAN.

Mrs. Holmes of Stevens Point visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clossman spent Sunday at Grand Rapids visiting with Lewis Perdon and family.

A date you should not forget is Thursday of next week, the 16th inst., when the Stevens Point stock fair will be held.

The recent hard freeze, which did so much damage throughout the country, also visited this locality, doing much harm. Following the drought so closely, the prospects for the potato crop are very discouraging.

Miss Grace Fox, our school teacher, gave her scholars a picnic dinner on the beautiful banks of the Wisconsin river last Monday, it being Labor Day. Nearly all the scholars were present and the time was pleasantly passed by fishing, boating and other amusements.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Warner celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary, Monday evening, Sept. 6th. As they have resided in this vicinity for a good many years they therefore have many acquaintances and friends, who were much interested in the occasion and helped to make the celebration a success. The house was filled with guests from far and near. Rev. Jas. R. Miller performed the marriage ceremony and interested the witnesses and spectators with a few remarks and humorous stories. After a bountiful supper the time was very pleasantly spent by music, games, etc. The event was enjoyed by all present and will be a mark in the wedded life of the bride and groom that will be long remembered. Among those from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Vene Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Warner of Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smart, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Davis of Stevens Point, and Rev. J. R. Miller of Grand Rapids. The presents were many and beautiful.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Articles and Items of News that Appeared in the Columns of The Gazette, Quarter of a Century Ago Today.

Clay C. Cooper is now attending the Eclectic Medical Institute at Cincinnati. A. R. Week returned last Friday morning from an extended trip through the west.

Mrs. Ellen Kennedy, of Milwaukee, visited in this city a few days last week with her cousin, Mrs. M. Leahy.

Miss Katie Clements, daughter of Thos. Clements, and Misses Belle and May Brown are now attending the state university at Madison.

G. N. Doty is now visiting at his old home near Palmyra, N. Y. His mother celebrated her 80th birthday last Saturday and a family reunion was held.

N. Blake and wife started for San Jose, Cal., last week. Since their return to this city a couple of months ago, Mr. Blake had not been in good health and so they have returned to the west.

Misses Belle Clements and Sarah McCulloch left for Batavia, N. Y., last evening, where they will attend the school known as Park Place, one of the leading institutions of learning for young ladies.

L. N. Anson and John Landers, both of whom have sold their residences in this city, will move their families to Merrill within the next few days, the gentlemen being engaged in the lumber business there.

On Monday, Sept. 8th, Mrs. Benj. Burr died at her residence in this city, after an illness of several months. Her maiden name was Eliza W. Emmons and she was in the 67th year of her age. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, Emmons Burr.

Vincent Betlach, of the firm of Stenger & Betlach, left for Winona, Rochester, Minneapolis and other points in Minnesota, last Thursday, to be gone about two weeks. He was accompanied by his wife and Mrs. N. Jacobs. Mr. Jacobs left here yesterday to join them.

Mrs. Sam R. Letter left the city on Monday for Chicago, her husband, who was formerly a well known engineer on the Central, being now engaged in the Pullman car works at Pullman. Mrs. Letter is a daughter of the late Edward Burns, and came to this city with her parents thirty-two years ago and had continued to reside here ever since.

The marriage of Miss Mollie Meehan and Edward J. Pfiffner took place at Grand Rapids at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon last. The ceremony was performed at the Catholic church by Rev. A. J. Abb of this city in the presence of relatives, after which a wedding dinner was served at the Union House. The young couple left on the evening train for Dubuque, Iowa, the home of the groom's mother, where they expect to spend several weeks, and will then return and make this city their future home. For seven or eight years prior to three years ago Mr. Pfiffner was engaged as bookkeeper for Meehan Bros. at their mill in the town of Linwood. For the past three years he has been serving in a like capacity for Bosworth & Reilly. The bride is the oldest daughter of Hon. Jas. Meehan and wife and for the past two or three years has been engaged in teaching in our public schools.

LANARK.

The late frost injured our potato fields.

Mass at St. Patrick's next Sunday at 10:30 o'clock.

M. Hopkins was a Stevens Point visitor, Sunday.

Wm. Grace of St. Paul returned home last week.

Everyone kindly invited to attend the mission at St. Patrick's church, Sunday.

A date you should not forget is Thursday of next week, the 16th inst., when the Stevens Point stock fair will be held.

The members of the married ladies altar society of St. Patrick's congregation were entertained at the home of Mrs. Dennis Leahy last Saturday evening and an enjoyable time was had by all.

The Dominican Fathers of Minneapolis will open a week's mission Sunday at St. Patrick's church. It will be well for all to make an effort to hear some of the instructive lectures which these men will deliver. Everyone will be welcome to attend. Great preparations have been made so that all will be conveniently cared for. Morning services during week at 9:30; evening service at 7:30.

The picnic held in Dan Hickey's grove, Sept. 5th, was a grand success socially. We had an excellent chicken pie dinner and a roasted lamb. Many thanks to Mike Lynch who donated the lamb and to Dan Hickey who gave us the use of his beautiful pine grove. The following families attended: John Jordan and wife, Edward Cooney and family, Alt. Warty and family, Fred Young and family, Robert Kheil and wife, Mike Tobin and family, James Dougherty and family, Peter Doyle and family, Ben Moberg and family, Nels Perkins and family, Wm. Dougherty and wife, Dan Hopkins and wife, Frank Dorsko and family, James Dougherty Jr. and family, Al. Smith and wife, Mrs. Lynch and family, Chris. Hammen and family, A. Maxwell and family of Amherst, John Clinton and family, Robert Carey and family, Pat. Mary and Katie Riley, Mary and Katie Timlin, Stella Courtwright of Stevens Point, Jennie Padden, Maggie Griffith, Mike Bosley, John Dougherty, Kate, Huethe and Thomas Loftis, John and Nate Howard, Albert Krutza, Richard Tobin, Thomas Hopkins, Pat Gray, Joe Clinton, John Osborn, Nels Williams, John Simpson, Walter Berlin and Severn Wolf of Amherst.

Bids Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned up to 6 p. m. Monday, Sept. 13, for the installation of a new system of flush closets in the Third ward school, accordance to plans and specifications now on file, either the Standard, Wolf or American Furnace Co. material to be used. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. For further particulars call on or address F. J. Blood, clerk of the Board of Education, Stevens Point, Wis.

Mart. Smith, of Milwaukee, is among the fair visitors this week.

ROAD AND BRIDGE WORK

Lively Discussion at Business Men's Association Meeting Last Friday Evening.

A hastily called meeting of the Business Men's Association was held at the library club rooms, last Friday evening, with about 35 members present. The purpose of the gathering was to take definite action towards having a bridge built across the Little Eau Claire river in the town of Dewey and to have about 110 rods of road laid out north of the proposed bridge. Before partaking of a very substantial meal served in German style by ladies of the Friedens church, grace was offered by the pastor of that congregation, Rev. R. Katerndahl. When cigars were passed a very animated discussion on the attendance at the monthly meetings was started by the president, Dr. Southwick, who stated that it was getting to be a very difficult matter to induce any of the local societies to furnish the supper unless they were guaranteed a fixed amount. Although there are about 200 names upon the roll of membership, comparatively few attend the meetings, and a large number even neglect to pay their annual dues of \$1. It was finally determined that the secretary mail reply postal cards before the date of the next monthly banquet. On motion of B. B. Park, the chairman was authorized to write an order for \$8.00 in favor of the Friedens ladies, to make their total compensation for the banquet the sum of \$25.

Sec. Bruce offered to make tables for use at the regular monthly sessions if the association would pay for the material, and his proposition was accepted with thanks.

The Dewey road and bridge proposition was next taken up by the president calling upon C. E. Van Hecke, who has been one of the most active spirits in the work. Mr. Van Hecke stated that between 20 and 30 farmers who live in that portion of southern Marathon county known as East Knowlton now do a large portion of their trading at Stevens Point and desire to do all of it here. At the present time they are required to make a detour of about nine miles on each round trip to this city because of the fact that there is no bridge across the Little Eau Claire river to connect with the highway running north and south from this city. A few weeks ago two autos containing nine or ten local business men made a trip to Knowlton and talked over the situation with the farmers directly interested in the proposed shortening of the highway. As a result of this trip the farmers in that immediate vicinity subscribed a sum equivalent to \$125 in labor and material, and owners of land necessary to open up a highway about 110 rods in length contributed the right-of-way. Chairman Tetzloff of Dewey was also called upon by the visitors and the situation explained to him. As expected, Mr. Tetzloff was not overly enthusiastic for the proposition, because a bridge in that corner of the town would be of little or no direct benefit to the people of Dewey. At the same time the Knowlton officials could take no formal action because the proposed improvement was outside their jurisdiction. On their return to this city a subscription paper was prepared and within a very few hours the large sum of \$402 in cash was subscribed. This is almost enough, in Mr. Van Hecke's opinion, to pay for the proposed work. His idea in bringing the matter before the Business Men's Association was for the purpose of having the organization act as "father-in-law," so to speak, and have a committee appointed to see that the work is done without unnecessary delay. He also expressed the opinion that if the work had the backing of the association, it would materially influence Chairman Tetzloff to lend his valued aid and advice.

Upon motion of J. W. Dunegan, the president was asked to appoint a committee of five to push the matter along. The legal phases of the question were discussed by B. B. Park, T. H. Hanna and others, after which Dr. Southwick appointed as such committee Messrs. Van Hecke, Hanna, H. H. Pagel, N. A. Week and S. H. Worzalla, together with the chairman and side supervisors of Dewey, the latter three to act as an advisory committee.

Chas. F. Hass, a stockholder in the Martin Automatic Carrier Co., stated that this new and growing industry had lately received a very flattering proposition to move their plant to Vesper, Wood county, but that he had exerted his influence to have the company remain here, provided our people would purchase enough stock with which to buy or erect a suitable building in which to manufacture their litter carriers. On account of their present cramped quarters on Monroe street, only three men are at present employed, but if they can get a larger building, he had no doubt but that they could in a short time find business enough for at least 25 mechanics. A brick building about 60x75 feet would be required. Upon motion of E. W. Sellers, the proposition of Mr. Hass was referred to the industrial committee.

An order for 50 cents in favor of Secretary Bruce to reimburse him for expressage on a book, was ordered drawn and a vote of thanks extended the secretary.

Mr. Pagel thought that the city council ought to be required to raise at least \$12,000 for street and highway work during the next year in order that the roads leading into town may be put in at least a passable condition. Mr. Hanna suggested that an issue of \$10,000 in bonds be made by the city officials for this purpose. Upon motion of D. E. Frost the council was requested to make suitable provision for building and repairing highways which lead into town. There being no further business, the meeting was duly adjourned.

Parochial School Enrollment.

The enrollment in our parochial schools for the first week in the present school year was as follows: St. Stephen's, 180; St. Peter's, 403; St. Joseph's, 73. This is a total decrease as compared with one year ago of 87, or 90 less in St. Peter's school and 7 less in St. Joseph's, while there is an increase of 10 in St. Stephen's school. As soon as cranberry picking and other occupations that now employ many of school age is finished, the attendance in both of these schools will no doubt be as large, if not larger, than last year.

Local News Notes.

H. A. Schneider and Leo Austin, of Menasha, were visitors in the city today while on their way home from a business trip to Athens.

C. B. Fishleigh returned to his home in the town of Carson, last Saturday, after a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Chicago.

Misses Alice Dawson and Anna Ryan returned Wednesday after a two months trip through the west. While gone they visited at the homes of Mrs. E. A. Kell, Lane, Idaho, and D. E. Dawson, Libby, Mont., also with friends in Spokane, Portland and Seattle.

Transfer Involved Millions.

The Minneapolis papers report the transfer by the Wisconsin Central Co. of property valued at \$1,750,000 to the Chicago & Great Western railway company, the same including the freight house on Hennepin avenue, near the Union depot, together with the machine shop, repair shop and roundhouse, with truckage adjoining the above, additional truckage on Boom Island; also other truckage of minor importance in Minneapolis; also the Central freight house and truckage on John and Third streets in St. Paul; also the unexpired leases which the Central held on certain tracks of the Great Northern, used in reaching its Minneapolis terminals. In due time the Soo passenger trains will enter the C. M. & St. Paul station instead of the Union station, and the Great Western trains will enter the Union station, at Minneapolis.

OUR MARKETS.

Grain and feed quotations are given as by telephone every Wednesday upon the Jackson Milling Co., while V. Betlach furnishes the prices on meats, butter, etc., and C. M. Camp the prices on hay and potatoes. Our farmers and buyers can depend upon them.

Round steak	10
Patent flour	5 00
Eye flour	4 00
Wheat	90
Coy. 30 pounds	62
Cats	36
Medicines	12
Feed	12
Brain	12
Corn	1 45
Corn meal	1 50
Butter	20-22
Eggs	14-15
Chickens	11-12
Turkeys	11-12
Lard	15
Mess Pork	22-20
Mess Beef	12-10
Stock live	10 60
Hogs dressed	9 00
Beef live	2 70-3 00
Beef dressed	6 00-6 30
Hams	6 00-6 30
Hay, Timothy	\$9 00-11 00

Leading Daily Paper.

The Milwaukee Daily Journal is offered for the next few weeks with The Gazette for \$3.25 per year, strictly in advance. Think of it! A metropolitan daily paper and your own local paper for only \$3.25. Bring your subscription to The Gazette office before this offer is withdrawn.

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Left the Hospital.

Mrs. Jos. M. Kluck, of Custer, who had a bone in one of her lower limbs broken in a runaway accident several weeks ago and had since been at Mercy hospital, was moved last Friday evening to their own home on Normal avenue. Mrs. Kluck and three children will remain here during the winter in order that the young people may take advantage of our school facilities.

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Report of the Condition

The First National Bank

At Stevens Point.

In the State of Wisconsin, at the office of business Sept. 1, 1909

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$326,151 21
Municipal Bonds at par	260,600 00
U. S. Bonds at par	51,000 00
Real Estate and Fixtures	17,281 68
Cash on hand and in Banks	129,161 15
Due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500 00
Total	\$757,590 97

LIABILITIES.

Capital	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus and undivided profits	41,623 76
Circulating notes	50,000 00
Deposits	615,677 21
Total	\$757,590 97

State of Wisconsin, County of Portage, Jas. J. W. Dunegan, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. DUNEGAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Sept., 1909.

M. V. GROSS, Notary Public.

CORRECT-ATTEST: C. D. McFARLAND, } Directors.
P. J. JACOBS, }
A. R. WEEK, }

SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
County of Portage, }
City of Stevens Point, }
Notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held in the City of Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin, on the third Tuesday of September, A. D. 1909, being the 21st day of said month, for the purpose of determining whether or not the amount paid for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, or intoxicating liquors, to be drunk on the premises, within the said city of Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin, shall be increased from Two Hundred Dollars to Five Hundred Dollars.

The polling places for said election will be in the following places:

First ward, at engine house No. 1.
Second ward, at engine house No. 2.
Third ward, at Third ward voting booth.
Fourth ward, at Olsen's boarding house.
Fifth ward, at Fifth ward voting booth.
Sixth ward, at Sixth ward voting booth.
The polls will be opened at 6 o'clock in the forenoon and close at 7 o'clock in the afternoon.

Said election to be held and conducted, votes counted and returns made in accordance with law.

Given under my hand and official seal at the city of Stevens Point, this 7th day of September, 1909.

M. V. GROSS, City Clerk.

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Continental Clothing Store

Between the Two Banks

Competent girl wanted by Mrs. E. D. Glennon, 518 Normal avenue. Good wages.

C. H. Cashin was a professional visitor to the state metropolis and capitol last week.

Wanted, girl for cleaning and general work. Good wages. Enquire at River Pines Sanatorium.

Miss Mary Van Hecke left for Nelson's Siding, last Saturday, to take charge of the district school.

For sale, pleasant residence and lots on N. Second street. Bargain for some one. Enquire of Teofil Krutza.

Driving horse, together with complete outfit for summer and winter, for sale. Enquire at this office.

Mrs. Jas. Corrigan, of Custer, is visiting for a week or two with her sons, who have taken up homesteads in North Dakota.

Rev. C. F. Spray left for Kenosha today to attend the annual Methodist conference, which will be in charge of Bishop McDowell.

A five room house and two lots, located at Annot, for rent or sale. Enquire of J. S. Mahalski, route 7, Stevens Point, Wis.

Miss Bertha Lee, of Winona, arrived last week for an extended visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Herman Krembs, on Briggs street.

Miss Josephine Lutz, stenographer at the First National bank, spent the first couple of days of the week visiting at her home at Shiocton.

The regular monthly Stevens Point stock fair will be held on Thursday of next week, the 16th inst., a date that buyers and sellers should not forget.

Miss Florence Means, who has been studying to be a trained nurse in Milwaukee for the past two or three years, is visiting at the home of her parents on Division street.

Frank Cormack, who is employed in a drug store at Algoma, having a nice position, arrived in the city, Monday evening, to spend the week at his home and enjoying the fair.

Theo. H. Assmann, of Portage, will come up this evening to spend the balance of the week with his brother, Otto A. Assmann, assistant cashier at the First National bank.

John McGinley, of Buena Vista, spent most of last week at Fond du Lac and its northern suburb, visiting his brother, Jas. McGinley, who is employed on the Northwestern road.

H. C. Demitz, who is connected with the First National bank of Grand Rapids, and Miss Mary Brahany, a teacher in the schools of that city, were guests at the residence of J. W. Dunegan on Sunday.

For sale, the brick residence, 713 Division street. Hot water heating and other modern conveniences. Price very reasonable. Enquire of E. W. Kingsbury, Evansville, Ind., or J. P. Malick, city.

L. P. Moen spent Monday at Marshfield, going up to attend the funeral of his nephew, Harold Broten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Broten, of Abbotford, who died on Friday, aged 13 years, the result of diabetes.

Miss Buelah Nelson left for Wild Rose, last Saturday, to commence her duties as a teacher in the public schools, and Miss Winnifred Nelson will depart for Menomonie on Friday on a similar mission.

Miss Nina Coyle will leave here the next of next week for Appleton to take special course in music at Lawrence University. Her sister, Miss Ethel, will also take musical studies at Northwestern University, Chicago.

Any of our friends and customers who may have occasion to call upon the Gazette, and cannot do so during the day time, will please remember that the office is open at least two evenings each week, Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Louise Biegler is again making her home at the Alexander Krembs residence on Main street, while completing her course at the business college. She had been spending the summer vacation at her home at Hayward.

An auto party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Rawson and son, Garry, and Mrs. J. A. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. B. Angelo and Peter Walker, all Plainfield, in two machines, visited this city on Sunday while on their way to Waupaca.

Louis LaMere, who is now a retired farmer and makes his home at Mosinee, down to attend the fair and visit his sisters, Mrs. Geo. Sutton and Mrs. J. Andrews. Mr. LaMere owns a fine farm near Marathon City, which he leased to Geo. Sutton, Jr.

GOLD CROWN FLOUR

Will be on hand again now at all stores. We appreciate the large demand for it and have noticed it more during the last week, because we were out. The many calls for it prove it to be the

Most Popular Flour

in town. Hoping our many friends will not forget us and that we will keep the GOLD CROWN on hand right along, we thank you one and all.

Respectfully,

The Jackson Milling Co.

Good girl wanted at once at 822 Main street. Mrs. A. E. Dufoe.

Myron C. Williams left for Westfield, Saturday, to teach in the public school of that village.

Come to the Stevens Point stock fair next week and bring your stock or anything you have to sell.

Misses Della Blodgett and Genevieve McDill left for Minneapolis, last Friday, to resume their school duties.

If there is a good boy in the city who would like to become a printer, he will kindly call upon The Gazette.

Mrs. H. H. Young is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. A. Hubbard of Oshkosh, at her home on Jefferson street.

Miss Leda Otto, of Bersemer, Mich., has been a guest at the homes of her uncles, W. L. and F. M. Playman, for a few days.

Melvin Searles and wife, who have been at Athens and other places in Marathon county for several weeks, spent Sunday at their home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Bourn and baby, of Milwaukee, are spending fair week visiting the former's parents on Church street and with Mrs. Bourn's parents at Plover.

Miss Edith Davis has resigned her position at the Moll-Glennon Co. store and left for Mercer, Iron county, the first of the week, where she expects to spend the winter.

Roy Rivers, one of the local letter carriers, returned from Waupaca county, last Friday, where he spent his vacation visiting with Carl Loberg, a former Stevens Pointer.

For the month of August, according to the records of Dr. C. von Neupert, city health officer, there were 12 marriages, 20 births, 12 accidents and 7 deaths within the corporate limits.

Melvin Kusmal, who had been employed by W. E. Macklin, the florist, for the past several years, has resigned his position, and is now waiting on customers at the Palace of Sweets.

Misses Rose and Kate Collins, of Grand Haven, Mich., are visiting with the Misses McAuliffe, on Pine street. Both young ladies spent a year or more in Stevens Point previous to last fall, making many friends.

Frank W. Leahy, managing editor of the LaCrosse Leader-Press, spent Monday in the city, accompanying his wife and little one, who will visit among relatives here and in the town of Almond for some time.

Michael Fitzgerald, of Fond du Lac, spent Tuesday in the city visiting with his boyhood friend and schoolmate, Dr. Houlehan, while on his way home from Eau Claire, where he attended the state meeting of blacksmiths.

Miss Florence Docka left here last Saturday for Montevideo, a prosperous little city in southwestern Minnesota, where she will be employed during the season as trimmer in a millinery store. She expects to be away until about Christmas time.

Edward Eaton, a prominent real estate dealer at Neenah, visited here the latter part of last week with T. W. Anderson, a schoolmate in New York state sixty years ago. Mr. Eaton was returning from a business trip to Kilbourn, Watertown and numerous other cities in the south part of the state.

A. C. Wiesner left for Green Bay, Tuesday afternoon, to enter the Odd Fellows Home, he having been a member of that organization for many years, and may remain there permanently. There are about seventy persons there at present, including aged Odd Fellows, wives, widows and orphans.

Miss Mary Rychwalski went to Thorp, last Saturday morning, where she will teach in the village schools during the next year. Miss Rychwalski was a former teacher there, but for several months had been a student at the Stevens Point business college, preparing herself for the vocation of a commercial teacher.

Henry Huber and son came down from Ashland, last Sunday, to join other members of the family who had been guests of Mrs. Huber's parents, Nelson Strong and wife, and among relatives in Linwood for several days. Mr. Huber is general foreman for the Soo line at Ashland, which position he has filled for several years.

Chas. Marks, of Waukegan, Ill., arrived in the city on Tuesday for a visit of a few days with his mother on the West Side. Mr. Marks has been at Waukegan for about ten years, and for some time previous to a couple of weeks ago he was engaged in business. He expects to travel in the interests of the American Steel & Wire Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O'Brien, of South Kaukauna, spent Sunday in this city as guests at the home of A. E. Dufoe on Main street. Mr. O'Brien is the owner of an eighty acre farm in the town of Carson, four miles northwest of this city, and will occupy the place with his family early next spring. They will prove welcome additions to the community.

Miss Eva Charlesworth has returned from a visit with Portage friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moll, of Rosholt, spent a part of last Sunday in the city with relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Ciecholinski and daughter, Emma, of Grand Rapids, has been visiting among relatives and friends on the North Side for several days.

Mrs. Russell D. Seidmore came up from Fond du Lac the first of the week to visit old friends and attend the fair.

J. C. Thomas, a leading business man of Ironwood, Mich., was a guest of H. H. Pagel, manager of the Jackson Milling Co., when in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Curran and daughter, Miss Florence, left for Oshkosh, Tuesday, where the former will take treatment at St. Mary's hospital for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Orthman, of Neuhokro, enjoyed Sunday and Monday in the city visiting with the latter's sisters, the Misses Ceary, on Franklin street.

Mrs. Jos. Doyle, wife of the engineer on the Stevens Point-Plover branch of the Green Bay road, left here Monday morning for a trip west, intending to go as far as Seattle.

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Houlehan returned from their boat trip to the Soo, last Friday evening, the outing being quite enjoyable, although the weather at all time was not of the best.

Adam Schliesmann, of Cambria, and M. Schliesmann, of Rio, arrived here last week for a visit with their brother, Peter Schliesmann, on Briggs street, whose health has been poor of late.

Clarence Wagner, of Beaver Dam, has been visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. C. von Neupert, on Church street, since last Saturday. Mr. Wagner is a violinist of prominence and has been giving instructions on that instrument during the past few years.

Lawrence Hill, who graduated from the Normal full course last June, went to Athens Monday morning, where he will teach in the village schools for the next year. Lawrence will also devote considerable time to giving the Marathon county boys athletic training.

Geo. Hamill, who is cultivating a big tract of land on the Buena Vista marsh, near Bancroft, finds that he is short of barn room and has contracted with the McIntee Lumber Co. of Bancroft for an addition 14x24 feet on his present large barn. Mr. Hamill is located on Sec. 5.

Michael Portrykus, who managed the C. D. Hill farm near Bancroft for several years, has become enthusiastic over the Buena Vista drainage district lands for farming purposes and leased a big tract from the Bradley interests at an annual rental of \$5.00 per acre per year.

Miss Margaret McAuliffe returned last Friday from a visit of several weeks at the home of her aunt, Mrs. M. Doyle, at Belfield, N. D. She was accompanied here by her cousin, Miss Nellie Doyle, who has a month's absence from her duties in the Belfield postoffice.

Miss Geneva Hodson, who spent most of the summer here visiting at the home of her brother, Ald. F. O. Hodson, is visiting at Oshkosh for a few days, and will be joined the last of the week by her father, John Hodson, when they will proceed to their home in Boston.

Papers received from Woolley, Skaget county, Wash., indicate that our boyhood friend, Tim Lennon, who has been there for several years, moving west from Rhineland, is prospering. He has been engaged in lumbering, and in addition thereto has recently purchased a \$21,000 fruit ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Brahany, who had been guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. J. W. Dunegan, left for Waupaca, Monday afternoon, going from there to Atlantic City and thence to Washington, D. C., where Mr. Brahany is special correspondent for leading metropolitan papers.

The W. H. Pier homestead at the corner of Church and Wisconsin streets is now owned by W. S. Young, who will make many changes and improvements on the house. The land has a frontage of 180 feet on Church street, by 120 feet in depth. It is understood that Mr. Young paid \$800 for the place, which is decidedly cheap.

John Suskie, who owns a fine farm one and one-half miles east of Arnott station, is making a very noticeable improvement to his house by raising the upright to two full stories and dividing the second floor into three sleeping rooms. The work is being done by Mike Bannach of Plover. Mr. Suskie is already making preparations to build a big barn next season.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Finley Hiram McNutt, of Portage, for the marriage of their daughter, Evadna Louise, to Mr. Albert Leslie Radcliffe, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 14th, at 2:30 o'clock, at their home, 1016 Dunn street. The bride-to-be is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McNutt and attended our Normal school several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Doyle, of Cadott, well known former residents of this city and county, arrived here on Monday morning, and will spend the week visiting Mrs. Doyle's brothers, J. P. O'Keefe in Stevens Point, and Wm. and Michael in the town of Stockton. The Doyles moved away fourteen years ago, and Mr. Doyle had not been here to renew old acquaintances in eleven years.

Over three hundred people, in some instances entire families, have come from this city and vicinity, buying tickets at the local G. R. & W. R. R. station, for the cranberry fields west of Grand Rapids. Berries that were not protected by water were injured by the frost of Tuesday night of last week, but this was only a small part of the whole, and the crop promises to be quite abundant.

Mrs. J. C. Pier and daughter, Miss Maud Pier, were up from Milwaukee last Friday on a business trip and to visit among old friends and former neighbors. The first named lady will be better remembered locally as Mrs. Wm. H. Pier, whose first husband was a pioneer conductor on the Wisconsin Central. J. C. Pier is connected with the rolling mills at Bay View and he and his wife live at 567 Ellen street, Milwaukee.

Jos. Schoettel and Frank Love have returned from their trip to the west. Some time was spent at Seattle, where Mr. Schoettel has a brother, John, and their stay there was made most pleasant. Both were among the many who endeavored to secure claims and Frank drew a number in the Flathead reservation, but it contained so many figures that he will make no effort to file, preferring to remain in the employment of Uncle Sam as a local letter carrier.

Rev. W. J. Rice is spending a couple of days in Milwaukee.

Rev. E. M. Thompson went to Fond du Lac, Tuesday morning, on a short business trip.

Albert Worden is very low at the home of his brother, W. H. Worden, on Michigan avenue.

Julius Pidge, a prosperous merchant at Amherst Junction, is in town today to attend the fair.

Miss Josephine Allen, of Williamette, Ill., is a guest at the home of Mrs. N. A. Week on Clark street.

Miss Maud Murray, who had been a guest of her brother, Fred H., has left for her home at Oshkosh.

Mrs. J. I. Prentice and daughter, Mrs. C. C. Coniak, are visiting at the McMillan home at Fond du Lac.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holmes, of Menomonie, Mich., are guests at the E. M. Copps home on Clark street.

The Moll-Glennon Co. store will be closed on Thursday and Friday afternoons of this week on account of the fair.

Miss Mary Daniels, the trained nurse, left for Oshkosh, Tuesday, where she expects to remain several days.

The three local banks are closed for the fair this afternoon, and will also close on Thursday and Friday afternoons.

Geo. W. Crummey came up from Chicago and spent a few days prior to Tuesday with his family in the town of Carson.

Misses May and Helen Brown, of Rhineland, are visiting at the residence of their uncle, T. W. Anderson, on Main street.

Mrs. E. S. Renne, of Grand Rapids, is visiting with her sister, Miss Frances Parkhill, and aunt, Mrs. Wm. Walton, to remain until tomorrow.

Mrs. John W. Clifford and little daughter Kathleen returned home Tuesday from a couple of weeks' visit with her mother at Neillsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Allen, of Winslow, Ill., are visiting at the home of his brother, W. H. Allen, on Ellis street, to remain for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, who make their home at Waupaca lakes, are visiting in the city a few days with the gentleman's father and brother.

Mrs. E. J. Piffner and daughter, Miss Ramona, left for Chicago, Tuesday, the latter to enter the Columbia School of Music for the coming year.

Rev. W. B. Polaczky leaves for Redgranite this evening, to which place he has been transferred from Casimir, and the well wishes of many friends follow him.

Clinton Copps, a student at Carroll College, Waukesha, has been spending a few days at his home here. He will go to Reedsburg for a few days before resuming his studies.

Miss Lillian Rivers will begin her fall term of music Wednesday, Sept. 15th. Instructions given on piano, pipe organ, mandolin and guitar. Residence 309 Center avenue. Phone red 15.

Mrs. Kleiner wishes to announce her fall and winter showing of millinery goods at her store, 440 Main street, the opening day being Saturday of this week. The ladies of the city are cordially invited to inspect her line.

E. A. Oberweiser has purchased the residence at the corner of Clark and Reserve streets, occupied by Supt. Davis and family, and heretofore owned by Mrs. W. F. Atwell, and will take possession the latter part of this month.

Robt. Perkins, oldest son of Eugene Perkins, a former resident of this city, left for his home at Valparaiso, Ind., this morning, after having spent several days as a guest of his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Sarah Perkins and Mrs. M. A. Hadcock.

The Winning Bros. Theatrical company are playing to "standing room only" houses at the Grand this week, to remain all the week. They have an excellent company, the best, most evenly balanced they ever had, and are in every way worthy of the large patronage they receive wherever they go.

C. Hickenbotham, one of the substantial farmers living near Arnott station is just completing one of the largest and finest barns in the county. The dimensions are 34x60 feet, 16 ft. posts, and the floors are of cement. Mike Bannach, who has had much practical experience in barn construction, is the builder.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins, of Star Lake, are spending a few days here with the lady's sister, Mrs. John R. Means, on Division street. Mr. Hopkins owns the dwelling at 516 Strongs avenue recently occupied by Al. Thurman's family, upon which he will make a number of important repairs before again leasing it.

Lawrence Bischoff, a naval cadet at Annapolis Academy, came down here the first of the week and will visit with his mother and brothers for the balance of this month. Lawrence has completed his first year of study and also had some practical naval experience during the summer on a ship which cruised along the Atlantic coast.

Conductor A. Schoenwelder, wife and three children, of Marshfield, left for home Tuesday after an outing of a few days at one of the Nelson cottages at Echo Dells. Mr. Schoenwelder is conductor on the Soo branch between Marshfield and Grand Rapids, and contemplates bringing his family to Echo Dells next season for a couple of months.

Miss Kittie O'Brien, of Montello, visited relatives in this city last Saturday night and Sunday, while on her way to Weyauwega, where she will again be employed as teacher in the village schools. She was accompanied here by her sister, Miss Anna, who has enrolled as a student at the Normal and is living at the home of her uncle, J. D. McHugh.

Sam T. Young, who now has a mail run on the Soo road between Eau Claire and Chicago, came down from the first named city yesterday morning and visited here several hours. Mr. Young owns a ten room house at 1014 Normal avenue, which he has rented to Mrs. Carley, who recently moved to this city from Pittsville and whose children attend the Normal school.

The Portage band, which furnished music at the potato bake at Waupaca on Monday and Tuesday, stopped in this city for a couple of hours this morning while on their way home, and as a compliment to Chas. A. Schenk, a former resident of Portage, played a number of pieces at the corner of Strongs avenue and Main street. This band, 23 in number, is under the management of Frank R. Graham, with Chas. P. Carroll as director, and they are firstclass in all respects.

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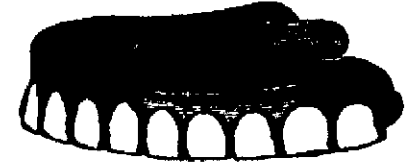
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ing a flower inside a soap bubble. To
accomplish this feat, which is often
mystifying and always amusing, put
water in which a good deal of soap
has been dissolved into the bottom of
a tray or shallow pan to the depth of
about an eighth of an inch. In the
center of the tray place the rose or
water lily or whatever flower is chosen
for the experiment. Over it then clasp
a tin funnel. Now slowly lift the fun-
nel, at the same time blowing gently
through its small end. When you have
blown a large enough film you can dis-
engage the bubble by turning the fun-
nel at right angles. A great variety of
objects from china dolls to Easter
eggs may be in this way filmed over
with a gay sphere of iridescence.

Tree Conundrums.
What tree is formed by two letters
of the alphabet? L M (elm).
What tree is the most dapper?
Spruce.
What tree is the sweetest? Maple.
What tree is the most melancholy?
Weeping willow.
What tree is proud of being a par-
ent? Papaw.
What tree is a sorry invalid? Syc-
amore.
What tree is used in building ma-
terials? Lime.
What tree keeps one warm in win-
ter? Fir.
What tree does history make con-
stant use of? Date.

Words Within Words.
Atone (five letters, seven words): A.
at, to, ton, tone, on, one.
Heathen (seven letters, eight words):
He, beat, hear, eat, at, the, then, hen.
Within (six letters, six words): Wit,
I, it, with, thin, in.
Weather (seven letters, seven words):
We, A, eat, at, the, he, her.

Cause of Misery.
Here is an observation from Carlyle:
"All misery is faculty misdirected—
strength that has not yet found its
way." This is undoubtedly true. All
suffering and failing can be traced
back to one getting out of the true
path. It may not sometimes be one's
fault. Ignorance or environment may
intervene and lead us astray. But all
progress consists in one finding the
true way of one's strength; to see that
the faculty is rightly directed.
Finding this path is the end of knowl-
edge and civilization. This means
doing the right thing, physically, men-
tally, morally; obeying God's law
that's in; that is all there is to it. That
is what keeps the strength and faculty
intact and makes life worth living.
The perfect mortal is the one whose
faculty is rightly directed and whose
strength has found its way. It is that
that makes the true, manly, useful,
happy life; that makes the life last
longer and keeps it sweet and whole
some while it lasts.—Ohio State Jour-
nal.

"Through Fire and Water."
A glance into the past is furnished
by the words, "I would go through
fire and water to serve you." The old
trials by ordeal, once the custom in
England, are here referred to, when
the ordeals both by fire and water
could be performed by deputy. Often
this was the service of friendship, but
just as often done for a certain sum.
In the one ordeal the person passed
through a place where red hot plow-
shares were set up at irregular inter-
vals, the man or woman being blind-
folded and barefooted. In the other
the person, bound hand and foot, was
thrown into the water, if he swam
safely to dry land he was innocent.
His death was proof of his guilt. The
phrase, however, may have an indirect
reference to the thought in Isaiah:
"When thou passest through the water
I will be with thee; when thou walk-
est through the fire thou shalt not be
burned."

An Apt Simile.
Some men have a career like a golf
ball. They are helped out of one hole
only to get into another.—Lippincott's
Magazine.

Beware of Flies.
Flies are a great menace to health.
It has been proved that they cause
many diseases, and therefore babies
should be carefully protected from
them. We know that the fly causes a
large percentage of typhoid fever cases
and that it is the chief disseminator of
diarrheal diseases. Therefore during
the entire summer every mother
should wage unceasing warfare on
the common household pest. The num-
ber of bacteria on a single fly may
range from 550 to 6,600,000. Early in
the season the number of bacteria is
comparatively small, but it increases
rapidly with the progress of the sum-
mer. Screen all food.

If Sick
Don't risk even one single penny!
And I will tell you why I say this.
It is because every package of Dr. Shoop's
medicine is absolutely free for the sick.
No one need risk even one single penny.
Just think what this means to the suffering
sick!
No risk, no expense, nothing whatever un-
less health first returns. For 30 full days, and
without the risk of a single penny, you can use
either of my two famous medicines—Dr. Shoop's
Restorative or Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy.
Then why take any chance whatever?
Why purchase any medicine whose
maker dare not back it just as I do by
this remarkable offer?
And besides, I am not an angel to you.
My "No Risk" policy has made Dr.
Shoop's Restorative one of the very drug stores
in the land. The "No Risk" policy said, "We take
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For twenty years Dr. Shoop's medicines have
become thoroughly standardized all over America.
And I have a right to say that every-
where to a man, woman or child, these
selected drugs are the only medicines with
the sick—and the entire risk is mine alone.
But write me first for an order.
I have an agent in almost every commu-
nity—but all druggists are not authorized to grant
the 30-day test.
So drop me a line, please—and thus save all
disappointments and delays.
Besides, you are free to consult me by letter
as you would your home physician. Do so freely
and fully—if you desire. My advice and the book
below are yours—and without cost. Perhaps a
word or two from me will clear up some serious
ailment. I have helped thousands upon thousands
by my private prescription or personal advice
plan.
Besides, the books will open up new and
helpful ideas to you. They tell of my 30 years ex-
perience at the best drug houses and in Hospi-
tals. All phases of disease and relief are told of
here. They are a "No Risk" "inside nerve"
no larger than a silver dollar but gives to the
Heart its impulse. How the Stomach and Kidney
each have their inside or power nerve. How
these organs surely falter when these controlling
or master nerves begin to fail. How Dr. Shoop's
Restorative works directly on these failing nerves,
and rebuilds—and thus restores the lost
tone and power. It can surely help you—if it
is within the power of medicine to do so. My best
effort is surely worth one simple request. So write
now, while it is fresh in mind, for tomorrow
never comes. Dr. Shoop, Box 12, Racine, Wis.
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No. 1 On Dyspepsia No. 4 For Women
No. 2 On the Heart No. 5 For Men
No. 3 On the Kidneys No. 6 On Rheumatism.

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la on the 25c. box. Ask your drug-
gist or doctor about this formula—it's
fine. All dealers.

The tremendous floods at Monterey,
Mexico, which destroyed 1,200 lives
and an innumerable amount of prop-
erty, may rightfully be listed as an-
other evidence of the irony of fate.
That such a rain should have fallen in
what is called a semi-arid country is
one of those surprises that nature fre-
quently perpetrates.

Tickling or dry cough will quickly
loosen when using Dr. Shoop's cough
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that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use
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babies. The wholesome green leaves
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DANCY.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Corlett of Eau Claire are visiting relatives in Michigan.

Henry Bloompot of Pekin, Ill., is now doing the engineering on the drainage district.

Threshing is well under way throughout this locality. Grain is reported very light.

Miss Grace Marchel has gone to Stevens Point to take up a course of study at the Normal.

Lloyd Wells and friend, B. Ramsdell of Wausau, were Dancy visitors a couple of days the first of this week.

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H. B. Hanson, wife and family, after spending the past summer on a farm near Rugby, N. D., returned to Dancy, Monday.

Louis Larson of Rugby, N. D., spent a few days the past week with his wife's parents, John Aitenburg and wife, in Eau Claire.

A great many from this place and vicinity visited the Marathon county fair at Wausau the past week. They report the fair as being very good, with large crowds in attendance.

A special train was run from Wausau as far as Dancy mornings and evenings two days during the fair to accommodate the extra travel.

While attempting to board a moving freight train in this village, a few days ago, a young man whose parents reside at Marshfield was very seriously injured. He was between two box cars and lost his hold, his feet getting caught in the crossing, and had it not been for his situation being discovered in time to stop the train he would have been killed instantly. He was taken to St. Mary's hospital at Wausau, where it was found he was badly injured. One arm was broken, both hips dislocated and spine injured, with some ribs broken. Another example of the great danger that is ever present in jumping on moving trains.

ROSHOLT.

Beautiful autumn weather.

It's in the "mild September."

Ida Howen was over at Wausau last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moll Sundayed at Stevens Point.

Mrs. C. Nottleson was at Galloway between trains Thursday.

Almond Peterson went to Belmont Saturday, returning home Sunday.

Frank Wilson and family have moved to their former home at Eau Claire.

Rev. Farseth conducted services at the Alban Lutheran church, Sunday.

Mr. Anderson and family departed for their new home at LaCrosse, last Tuesday.

Several of our people attended the fair at Wausau last week and report a pleasant time.

Several of the farmers have begun digging their potatoes and so far they report a small yield.

Thor Jacobson returned from Seattle last week, where he took in the exposition for a few days.

Miss Jessie Mallison of Stevens Point has taken a position as bookkeeper for the Maxwell Lumber Co.

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The Liberty moving picture show of Waupaca showed to a crowded tent here last week Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nottleson entertained company from Iowa and Nelsonville last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

The dance given by the Wisconsin orchestra of Iowa, at Olson's hall Friday night, was poorly attended owing to the inclemency of the weather.

Commencing this week our potato buyers are ready to take the tubers from the farmers at the highest market price, although prices are not as high as last year.

One day last week while Ole Wigan was trying to blast a large stump near his residence with dynamite, one of the pieces of the stump was hurled up in the air and fell down on the roof of the house, tearing a large hole in it.

Miss Ida Keeper was given a farewell party by her many young friends Tuesday evening of last week, and a very enjoyable time was had. Miss Keeper was presented with a beautiful fountain pen as a token of esteem, friendship and remembrance.

News was received here last week of the death of Miss Frieda Cavitch at Wausau, of diabetes. Frieda was about fifteen years old and her sudden death was a shock to her many young friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Cavitch were former proprietors of the Hotel Rosholt.

Miss Ida Keeper, who held the position as bookkeeper for the Maxwell Lumber Co. the past two years, has resigned her position and together with her sister Miss Anna went to Wausau, Saturday, where she will spend a few days before returning to her at Florence, this state.

AMHERST JUNCTION.

O. A. Nelson and family of Stevens Point visited here last week.

Martin Kjer is assisting in Geo. Starks' store while Miss Grace Hall is in Milwaukee.

Miss Grace Hall is in Milwaukee selecting the fall millinery stock for Mrs. G. Starks.

Station Agent Jakeway is having a vacation and his place is filled by Chas. Van Horn of Whitehall.

The fall session of school commenced last Monday with Miss Anna G. Een and Miss Marion Gassmann as teachers.

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Many of our citizens attended a potato digging exhibition at O. Hinjum's farm, Monday. The digger was a Stevens, manufactured at Marinette, and it certainly promises to be the universal digger in the near future on account of its simplicity and easy draft.

Mr. Hinjum's carriage team handled it with ease up some steep hills. The machine is simple and will last a lifetime, as there are no complicated elevators or shakers. The five three-tined pickers cannot get out of order. We did not learn the name of the agent who had the machine there but he has

appointed John Kubisiak as local agent. They are used extensively in Michigan where, we learned from a traveling man, that they are taking the place of other diggers.

JUNCTION CITY.

Lena Skibba went to Stevens Point, Tuesday.

About 50 cranberry pickers left Monday for Cranmoor.

Marguerite Wier, of Neenah, visited her parents, Sunday.

Bert Culver transacted business at Stevens Point Friday.

Ella Marchel, of Dancy, visited Mrs. Wm. Arians, Monday.

Miss Mary Cyhosec of Bessemer visited Lena Skibba, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rux were called to Rib Falls by the death of his mother.

Frank Spalenka, of Stevens Point, transacted business here Monday.

Mesdames O. Voyer and A. L. Voyer attended the Wausau fair, Friday.

Lottie Stertz and Lulu Daggett did shopping at Stevens Point, Saturday.

Martin Pendlewski left Monday for Pulaski to take up school duties again.

Polly Hintz, of Ashland, returned home after a week's visit with Regina Copp.

Frank Skibba was called home from Brownsville by the death of his sister, Bertha.

Nettie Edwards returned home after a two weeks' visit with relatives at Oshkosh.

O. Voyer and son, Leonard, left for Bruce to visit Mrs. Geo. Taylor, who is very ill.

Mrs. C. D. Percy and son returned home after a four weeks' visit with relatives at Oakfield.

A young doctor arrived at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Leith. Mother and child doing well.

Miss Anna Rasmussen of Waupaca and Mrs. Geo. Durby of Wausau visited Mrs. Wm. Arians, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rux left Saturday for Rib Falls, where they were called by the illness of his mother.

Mrs. Etta Noel and daughters, Isla and Iva, of Merrill, visited their cousin, Mrs. H. Grashorn.

Nicholas Port and Mrs. Hartnig, of Milwaukee, visited at the Wm. Arians home, Monday between trains.

The angle of death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Skibba, Thursday, and took their baby daughter.

Sarah Anderson returned from Milwaukee, Saturday, where she was called by the death of her brother-in-law.

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Mrs. Jos. Sebor, of Athens, returned home Saturday after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Arians.

Grandma Stertz was pleasantly surprised, Sunday, by 80 of her friends in honor of her 80th birthday. Those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Teichert and daughter, Lauretta, Mrs. Aug. Lutz and son, J. W. Brown and Mrs. Aug. Demka and Mrs. Hodell of Stevens Point, Ella Marchel of Dancy,

C. Wood and Mrs. John Corcoran of Grand Rapids. She received many beautiful presents.

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Anton Zivney sold his meat market to his brother, Jos. Zivney. Anton intends to open a place of business in the near future.

Grandma Stertz returned from Stevens Point, Saturday, where she spent three weeks visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Aug. Demka.

KNOWLTON.

A date you should not forget is Thursday of next week, the 16th inst., when the Stevens Point stock fair will be held.

Mrs. Augusta Arndt Wesling died at her home in Knowlton Thursday, Sept. 2, 1909, at the midday hour, after a short acute illness of less than a week. Mrs. Wesling had not been well for nearly a year, still she was active, taking great interest as was usual in the household and farm affairs, until the fatal week of dissolution from causes incidental to age. Deceased was born in Germany in 1840. Mrs. Wesling came to America when a young girl and directly to Knowlton, where soon after she was married to Lewis Wesling, who preceded her in death five years ago. Knowlton has ever been her residence since leaving her German home nearly forty years ago. She was a most estimable and kind lady, a homemaker of the dearest and best, ever solicitous of her husband, who was confined many years with locomotor ataxia, caring for him with never a complaining thought or word. She was beloved by all who knew her and greatly esteemed for her worth and kindness by children and friends. There are left to mourn this mother's loss four sons, Albert of Chicago, Lewis of Merrill, Paul and Otto, who reside at the large farm home, and two daughters, Mrs. Clara Booner of Newark, Ohio, and Mrs. Mary Sedgley, who resides at the parental home. One daughter, Martha, died five years ago. There are also several grandchildren and other relatives. The funeral services were held from the late home Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. A. Ristow of Auburn-dale officiating, interment being made in the Knowlton cemetery. The pallbearers were the four sons and two nephews, L. Moldenhauer and L. Paetsch. A great many attended these last sad rites of one of our first citizens. The flowers were profuse and beautiful.

ARNOTT.

Miss Nellie Leary attended the Wausau fair last week.

Fred Ingerson and sister, Melinda, spent Sunday at New Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Norton of Stevens Point, spent Sunday at Ray Leary's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kussman and children visited with Amherst friends Sunday.

Miss Monica O'Keefe is attending

St. Stephen's school at Stevens Point this year.

The Misses Lizzie Leary and Cicely Dineen were Stevens Point callers Saturday.

Mrs. J. Scheffner of Stevens Point visited her daughter, Mrs. C. Breitenstein, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Steinke and children of Amherst Junction spent Sunday at the Steinke home.

Little Ward Leary, who has been seriously ill, is steadily improving under the care of Dr. Lindores.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Koltz and daughters and Nick Eiden and son, Carl, visited Matt Eiden at Ellis, Sunday.

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Miss Grace Doane, who has been spending her vacation at home, has returned to Stanley, where she will teach the coming year.

Mrs. Frank Hall and daughters, Mabelle and Beulah, of Amherst Junction, visited their niece and cousin, Mrs. John Kussman, last week.

NELSONVILLE.

John Milbreit spent Sunday at Alban on important business.

A. Laramour is visiting at his home at Marshfield for a few days.

N. S. Loberg of Norske, Waupaca county, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Scherer and son, Charles, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Jane Mitcham.

L. L. Loberg is spending a few days at Stevens Point, at a meeting of the jury commissioners.

Mrs. J. O. Moen of Rhinelander visited her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stollenberg, here Monday.

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L. H. Johnson and wife and T. T. Loberg and daughters, Cora and Stella, attended the potato bake at Waupaca on Monday.

Mrs. Oscar Torbenson and Miss Otellea Torbenson of Iowa are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Loberg and attending the county fair at Amherst.

School commenced last week with the same corps of teachers as last year, Miss Anna Simonis in charge of the upper grade and Cora Loberg of the lower grade.

Next Sunday the Ogdensburg base ball team will play the home team on the home grounds and we expect it to be a good fast game, so everybody had better turn out and witness it.

Was Discharged.

The case brought against E. K. Towle, of Waupaca, he being charged with horse stealing by Walonty Polok of Rosholt, resulted in the discharge of the defendant. The case was tried before Justice Park, Dist. Atty. Nelson appearing for the state and Owen & Hanna for the defense. A number of witnesses were called and their testimony resulted in the vindication of Towle.

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These new models for Fall are here in all grades. For the stout figure we are showing the Nemo, Reduco and Adjusto.

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Price, \$1.00 and \$1.25 per yard

Taffetas and Messalines. All Colors and Black

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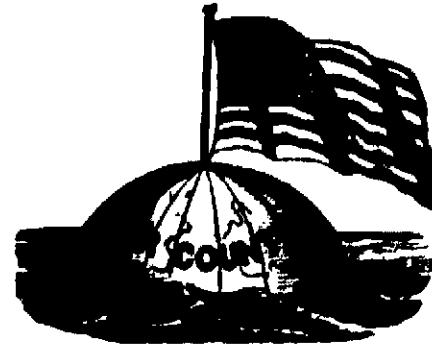
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HAPPENINGS
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PERSONAL.

Levi H. Bancroft, speaker of the Wisconsin assembly, was the orator at the Wisconsin day celebration at the Seattle exposition.

Edward Butler, Jr., son of Col Butler, political boss of St. Louis, died suddenly in that city of heart failure while talking to his wife.

Justice William R. Day of the United States supreme court, delivered the address at Mackinac Island, Mich., at the unveiling of the new \$7,000 statue of Pere Marquette.

President Taft has appointed A. P. Sawyer of Seattle to be auditor of Porto Rico, to succeed G. C. Ward.

Earl Grey, governor general of Canada, narrowly escaped death when he was lost and wandered for hours in the wilds of the northwest. A rescuing party found him.

Edward H. Harriman in a personal statement concerning his health said "I am all right."

Harry K. Thaw has been made librarian of the hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, N. Y.

Senator Carter of Montana declared at Seattle that charges of water power grabbing in his state were without foundation.

Glenn H. Curtiss won the international cup for the highest speed in the aviation events at Rheims, France, flying at the rate of 47.65 miles an hour.

Charles W. Morse, recently released from the Tombs prison, New York, on \$125,000 bail, has begun his efforts to restore his fallen fortunes by attempting to regain control of the Metropolitan Steamship Company.

Henry Farman, the English aviator, made a flight of 111.75 miles at Rheims, breaking all previous distance records and winning the Grand Prix de la Champagne.

Albert Newhouse, an inmate of the poor house at Bloomington, Ill., to whom an uncle at Indianapolis left \$200,000, wants a wife to share the good fortune with him.

GENERAL NEWS.

Thirty Japanese sent by their government to study commerce and trade in the United States, landed at Seattle. They will travel through 24 states.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook of Brooklyn, N. Y., on April 21, 1908, discovered the north pole, according to a message received from him by his wife and information sent to Copenhagen by the captain of the vessel on which he returned to that point.

Through a conference between the operators and the national executive board of the United Mine Workers of America the dispute with the 18,000 miners in the Pittsburgh district has been settled, and 7,000 men now on strike will return to work.

At Sleepyeye, Minn., George W. Somerville, former state senator, lawyer and politician, was shot and fatally wounded, in his private office, by John S. Hayner, manager of a large business block, in a dispute over money matters.

A message received by relatives at White Plains, N. Y., announced the death from cholera at Foo Choo, China, of Rev. and Mrs. George Cornwall, for 20 years Presbyterian missionaries in that country.

Through a deal involving millions the United States Steel Corporation has taken over the property known as the Kelly lands and Mines in Danville, Ill., district on which it held an option from the Hammond Company.

Krasnoyarsk, Siberia, is to be the place of exile of Alexander Lopukine, former chief of the Russian police department, who was convicted of activity as a revolutionary.

John R. Myrick, who enlisted in the union army as a private at the outbreak of the civil war, and who was retired as a brigadier-general in 1903, is dead in New York.

While playing with a shotgun at Nicholasville, Ky., James Littrell, eight years old, accidentally discharged the weapon and blew off the head of his six-year-old sister.

Spartan Town, Nev., ten miles from Rawhide, was practically wiped off the map by a cloudburst, a wall of water ten feet high tearing down 130 buildings.

The west wing of the parliament buildings in Toronto, Can., were destroyed by fire, causing \$100,000 loss.

Fire destroyed the Savy theater at Hamilton, Ont. Loss, \$60,000. The theater belonged to the Stroud-Bennett syndicate, but was to have been taken over by the Shuberts.

During the funeral at Seattle of George E. Eccles, the wireless operator who perished on the steamer Ohio, every wireless telegraph instrument in the western division was silent for half an hour.

Mrs. Katherine Miller, formerly Mrs. Kate Soffel, who served a two-year prison term for helping Jack and Edward Biddle, the murderers, escape from the county jail at Pittsburg, died of typhoid fever.

Tied to a tree by robbers, an employee of the Ingram-Day Lumber Company, suffered tortures for three days near Nugent, Miss. His mouth was stuffed with paper and rags and he was without food, while mosquitoes were torturing him.

President Taft has decided that Beverly, Mass., shall be the summer capital again next year, and has leased the cottage he now is occupying for the season.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and a delegate from Austria engaged in a war of words at the International Trades Union congress in Paris when the latter attacked American labor for not joining the organization.

The United States and Europe were brought nearly three hours closer together when the great liner, Mauretania reduced her record from New York to Queenstown to four days, 14 hours and 27 minutes.

After slaying Cecil Norton, 15 years old, daughter of his housekeeper; his daughter Dorothy, aged 12, and setting fire to his house, Will Tibbetts, a wealthy farmer of Red Wood Falls, Minn., committed suicide.

Five persons, all relatives, were killed when a street car struck an automobile, near St. Louis.

A new tobacco war has been started at Covington, Ky., by the filing of a suit by Clark & Scott, independent manufacturers, against the Burley society, demanding \$135,520, said to have been overcharged on tobacco bought by them.

An important amendment has been made to the navy regulations which places the engineer officer attached to a ship of war in line to succeed the executive officer.

Ten square miles of forest adjoining the Sequoia grove of big trees in California have been devastated by fire, though the United States cavalry troop under Capt. Rush S. Wells has succeeded in saving the grove from danger.

A race war is threatened at Hoopes-ton, Ill., because John A. Lunkley of Ottawa, Ia., a white man, was acquitted in connection with the murder of a negro, who was shot in the darkness during a gambling row between white and negro cannery employees.

Before 2,000 persons at Coffeyville, Kan., Harry E. Hoffman, a balloonist, fell 500 feet to death. The big bag was released accidentally before the aeronaut was ready and he was carried up hanging to a trapeze by his toes.

Emperor William invited Orville Wright and his sister, Miss Katherine, to sit with the royal family in a box to watch the arrival of Count Zeppelin who made a 450-mile flight in his airship to Berlin.

President Taft has accepted the resignation—it is believed by some that he requested it—of Ormsby McHarg, assistant secretary of the department of commerce and labor, who assailed former President Roosevelt in a newspaper interview.

Much damage was done in West Scranton, Pa., when an old mine beneath the city caved in, the city's surface in many places sinking five or six feet.

A lone bandit held up a Pennsylvania railroad express train, shot the conductor and fled with several thousand dollars in coin, including 10,000 of the new Lincoln pennies, which he mistook for gold.

Having refused to pay judgment of \$10,000 rendered against him for slandering Philip Motherill, Wilbur Glenn Voliva, general overseer at Zion City, was placed in jail at Woodstock, Ill.

It was discovered that seven children lost their lives in the fire which destroyed St. Malachy's orphan asylum at Rockaway Park, L. I., the first report being that the nuns had saved all of the inmates.

Organization of a subordinate division of the Commercial Telegraphers' union for wireless operators is proposed by S. J. Konenkamp, president of the C. T. U.

Salaries between \$1,200 and \$2,000 will be paid by the government to men with agricultural training who pass a civil service examination at Washington September 22, to select eligibles for assistants in grain standardization in the bureau of plant industry.

Secretary of War Dickinson has directed that the marine officers who were with Lieut. Sutton on the night of his death be allowed to be present at the exhumation of his body.

Three tanks containing 35,000 barrels of oil were set on fire at Cynet, O., by lightning, causing \$100,000 loss.

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1534	Richard Chancelor	46
1535	Sir Martin Frobisher	19
1536	Capt. Davis	15
1594	Barents	3
1596	John Knight	3
1597	Henry Hudson	19
1612	Sir Thomas Button	19
1619	Jens Munk	62
1621	Thomas James	11
1633	Isle of Jan Mayen Settlers	1
1634	Isle of Jan Mayen Settlers	7
1635	James Knight	70
1712	Bering	19
1725	Prona Hisecheff	12
1725	Jasminius	12
1729	Charlton Lupton	12
1742	Bering	12
1772	Lord Mulgrave	8
1776	Capt. Cook	4
1815	Parry, first voyage	4
1815	Parry, second voyage	7
1815	Franklin, second voyage	4
1829	John Ross	4
1832	Pease and Simpson	132
1845	Franklin, third voyage	132
1845	J. C. Ross, search expedition	1
1849	North Star expedition	1
1849	Plover and Herald	1
1853	Kane expedition	3
1853	Isaac Hayes	1
1859	Hall, first voyage	1
1859	Hall, second voyage	1
1859	Hall, last voyage	1
1872	Pegibthoff	1
1872	B. Leish Smith	1
1875	English expedition	1
1875	Jeanette (Le Long)	1
1875	Greely	1
1894	Andree (balloon)	1
1894	Baron Tall	1
Total		715

Washington.—Dr. Maurice Francis Egan, the United States minister at Copenhagen, has telegraphed the state department that Dr. Cook's discovery of the north pole has been corroborated by Dergaard Jensen, the Danish inspector of North Greenland.

Paris, Sept. 3.—The Paris edition of the New York Herald publishes a signed statement from Dr. Frederick A. Cook, which is dated "Hans Egede, Lerwick, Wednesday," on his discovery of the north pole and his experiences in the Arctic regions. "After a prolonged fight with famine and frost," says Dr. Cook, "we have at last succeeded in reaching the north pole. A new highway, with an interesting strip of animated nature has been explored and big game haunts located, which will delight sportsmen and extend the Esquimaux horizon.

"Land has been discovered on which rest the earth's northernmost rocks. A triangle of 30,000 square miles has been cut out of the terrestrial unknown. The expedition was the outcome of a summer cruise in the Arctic seas on the schooner Bradley, which arrived at the limits of navigation in Smith Sound late in August, 1907."

Describes Arrival at Pole.

After telling of the experiences of himself and Esquimaux guides, Dr. Cook says: "On April 21 we had reached 89 degrees 59 minutes 46 seconds. The



Dr. Frederick A. Cook.

pole was in sight. We covered the remaining 14 seconds and made a few final observations. I told Enekehook and Ahwelsh (the accompanying Esquimaux) that we had reached the "great wall."

"Everywhere we turned was south. With a single step we could pass from one side of the earth to the other; from midday to midnight. At last the flag floated to the breezes at the pole. It was April 21, 1908. The temperature was minus 28 centigrade, barometer 29.83, latitude 90; as for the longitude it was nothing, as it was but a word.

Crazed by Joy, But Weary.

"Although crazy with joy our spirits began to undergo a feeling of weariness. Next day, after taking all our observations, a sentiment of intense solitude penetrated us while we looked at the horizon. Was it possible that this desolate region, without a patch of earth, had aroused the am-

bition of so many men for so many centuries.

"There was no ground, only an immensity of dazzling white snow, no living being, no point to break the frightful monotony.

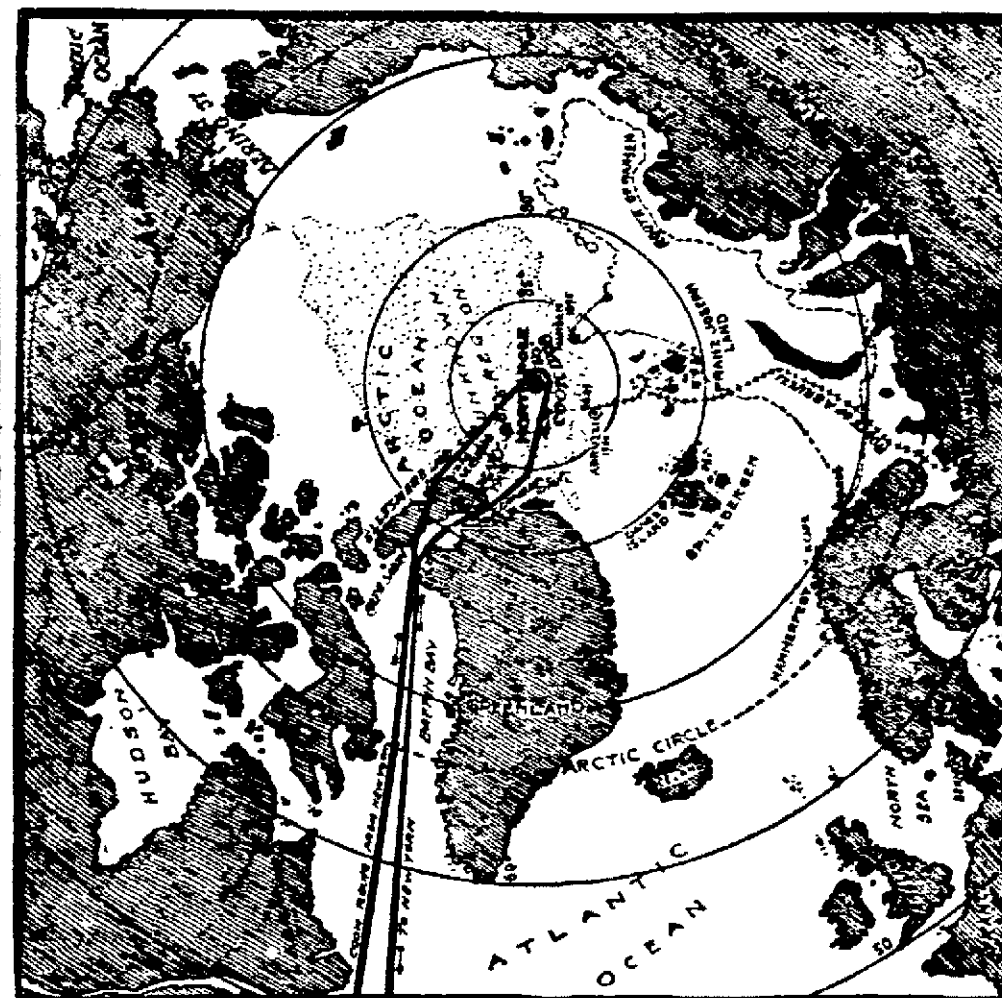
"On April 23 we started on our return."

Copenhagen.—It was left to American energy, American brains and American money to bring about the discovery of the north pole, an achievement, to accomplish which, 778 men have given up their lives. Although details are lacking, full credence was given here Wednesday to the report received in Copenhagen that Dr. Frederick A. Cook of Brooklyn, N. Y., had reached the goal for which explorers have braved death since 1533.

A message was received at the colonial office via Lerwick, Shetland Islands, announcing that Dr. Cook had reached the pole April 21, 1908.

Dispatch from Ship Officer.

This dispatch was sent by a Greenland official on board the Danish government steamer Hans Egede, which



EXPLORER COOK'S ROUTE TO THE NORTH POLE.

passed Lerwick at noon en route for Denmark, and read as follows:

"We have on board the American traveler, Dr. Cook, who reached the north pole April 21, 1908. Dr. Cook arrived in Upernavik in May of 1909 from Cape York. The Eskimos of Cape York confirmed Dr. Cook's story of his journey."

It is understood that the Danish consul at Lerwick, where the Hans Egede remained for two hours, was officially notified of Dr. Cook's success in his attempt to reach the pole, but that he was bound to secrecy concerning the extent and nature of the explorer's discoveries.

Director Ryberg, head of the Greenland administration bureau, said he did not expect to receive any further details of Dr. Cook's achievements before the arrival of the Hans Egede at this port, which probably would be Saturday afternoon.

Director Ryberg proceeded to the American legation and informed the minister, Dr. Maurice F. Egan, that Dr. Cook had reached the north pole. The announcement caused the greatest enthusiasm throughout the city and many Americans called at the legation to congratulate the minister. Among them was Alexander Kootof of New York, a warm personal friend of Dr. Cook, who said that he had believed the explorer had perished long ago. The legation was overcrowded with visitors.

The noted explorer, Commander Hovgaard, leader of various north pole expeditions, was convinced that the message that Dr. Cook had reached the pole was true.

Sends Message to Wife.

New York "Successful Well. Address Copenhagen. Fred."

Full of meaning if "successful" were interpreted to indicate that he had reached the north pole, the foregoing cable message, exasperating in its brevity, was received in New York Wednesday from Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the American explorer, whom the latest cable advices credit with having accomplished what no man ever did.

The message was sent not to any

scientific society nor to any of his associates interested in his expedition from a scientific viewpoint, but to his wife, who has been counting the days and hours and praying for his safety since his departure from this city on July 4, 1907.

Wife Not at Home.

But by chance Mrs. Cook was not at her Brooklyn home, but spending the summer at Harpswell, Me., so the dispatch was received by Dr. R. T. Davidson, a personal friend of the explorer, who made its contents known, then flashed the good news on to Mrs. Cook. Brief as it was, it was the first news that she had had from her intrepid husband since March 17, 1908, when he wrote from Cape Hubbard on the edge of the polar ice sea on the northwest side of Ellesmere Land. At that time he advised his companion, Rudolph Franke, then stationed at Etah, Greenland, with supplies, to wait there until June for his return, but in the event of Dr. Cook's failure to appear to proceed to America, Franke waited as instructed, but as Dr. Cook failed to come back he caught the Peary auxiliary ship and reached New York last fall.

Since March 17, 1905, Dr. Cook's whereabouts has been a mystery, although members of the Arctic club in this city, viewing the situation optimistically, were inclined to think that he had reached the pole, despite his long silence. There was, of course, the ever-present probability that he had perished and the schooner Jeanie, a relief ship, is now en route to Etah, where she is due the middle of this month. The Jeanie left St. Johns, N. F., about two weeks ago with the double purpose of searching for Dr.

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BIG DROUGHT LOSS

EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA IS SUFFERING GREATLY FOR THE WANT OF RAIN.

CROPS AND PASTURES BURN

Farmers Have a Tremendous Loss and Factories Are Closed Because of the Lack of Water.

Philadelphia.—Very little rain has fallen in eastern Pennsylvania for several months past and the drought which has been thereby created is in the acute stage. Crops and pasture fields have burned up for lack of moisture and the loss to the farmers has been heavy.

A dispatch from York, Pa., says the big paper mill of P. H. Glatfelter Company at Spring Grove, Pa., has been compelled to suspend operations because of the drought. The works are operated by water-power, and operations will not be resumed until the water supply is replenished by a rainfall.

The dispatch adds that York county is experiencing the most serious drought within the memory of living persons. Wells and springs in the county have gone dry and supplies of water for various boroughs are becoming exhausted.

The Schuylkill river is at the lowest point in its history, and more than 1,000 persons employed in the mills at Manayunk, a suburb of this city, are idle because of the scarcity of water. A canal company which has control of the water which flows over a dam at Manayunk has asked the mill owners to close down for a day or two in order that enough water may be accumulated in its canal to float to tide-water a number of barges loaded with coal.

St. Joseph, Mo.—The protracted drought in northwest Missouri and northeast Kansas has been broken. However, it came too late to save the late corn, much of which has been greatly damaged.

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INTO THE PRIMITIVE

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the shipwreck of the steamer on which Miss Genevieve Leslie, an American heiress, Lord Winthrop, an Englishman, and Tom Blake, a brusque American, were passengers. The three were tossed upon an uninhabited island and were the only ones not drowned. Blake recovered from a drunken stupor, Blake, stunned on the boat, because of his roughness, became a hero as preserver of the helpless pair. The Englishman was suing for the hand of Miss Leslie. Blake started to swim back to the ship to recover what was left. Blake returned soberly. Winthrop wasted his last match on a cigarette, for which he was scored by Blake. Their first meal was a dead fish. The trio started a ten-mile hike for higher land. Their attack on the natives was repulsed. Blake established a home in some cliffs. Blake found a fresh water spring. Miss Leslie faced an unpleasant situation.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

"They'll be dry in a day or two. Say, Winthrop, you might fetch some of those stones—size of a ball. I used to be a fancy pitcher when I was a kid, and we might scare up a rabbit or something."

"I play cricket myself. But these stones—"

"Better'n a gun, when you haven't got the gun. Come on. We'll go in a bunch, after all, in case I need stones."

With due consideration for Winthrop's ankle—not for Winthrop—Blake set so slow a pace that the half-mile walk consumed over half an hour. But his smouldering irritation was soon quenched when they drew near the green thicket at the foot of the cliff. In the almost deathlike stillness of mid-afternoon, the sound of trickling water came to their ears, clear and musical.

"A spring!" shouted Blake. "I guessed right. Look at those green plants and grass; there's the channel where it runs out in the sand and dries up."

The others followed him eagerly as he pushed in among the trees. They saw no running water, for the tiny rill that trickled down the ledges was matted over with vines. But at the foot of the slope lay a pool, some ten yards across, and overshadowed by the surrounding trees. There was no underbrush, and the ground was trampled bare as a floor.

"By Jove," said Winthrop; "see the tracks! There must have been a drove of sheep about."

"Dear, you mean," replied Blake, bending to examine the deeper prints at the edge of the pool. "These ain't sheep tracks. A lot of them are larger."

"Could you not uncover the brook?" asked Miss Leslie. "If animals have been drinking here, one would prefer cleaner water."

"Sure," assented Blake. "If you're game for a climb, and can wait a few minutes, we'll get it out of the spring itself. We've got to go up anyway, to get at our poultry yard!"

"Here's a place that looks like a path," called Winthrop, who had circled about the edge of the pool to the farther side.

Blake ran around beside him and stared at the tunnel-like passage which wound up the limestone ledges beneath the overarching thickets.

"Odd place, is it not?" observed Winthrop. "Looks like a fox run, only larger, you know."

"Too low for deer, though—and their hoofs would have cut up the moss and ferns more. Let's get a close look."

As he spoke, Blake stooped and climbed a few yards up the trail to an overhanging ledge, four or five feet high. Where the trail ran up over this break in the slope the stone was bare of all vegetation. Blake laid his club on the top of the ledge, and was about to vault after it, when, directly beneath his nose, he saw the print of a great catlike paw, outlined in dried mud. At the same instant a deep growl came rumbling down the "fox run." Without waiting for a second warning, Blake drew his club to him, and crept back down the trail. His stealthy movements and furtive backward glances filled his companions with vague terror. He himself was hardly less alarmed.

"Get out of the trees—into the open!" he exclaimed in a hoarse whisper, and as they crept away, white with dread of the unknown danger, he followed at their heels, looking backward, his club raised in readiness to strike.

Once clear of the trees, Winthrop caught Miss Leslie by the hand and broke into a run. In their terror they paid no heed to Blake's command to stop. They had darted off so unexpectedly that he did not overtake them short of 100 yards.

"Hold on!" he said, gripping Winthrop roughly by the shoulder. "It's safe enough here, and you'll knock out that blamed ankle."

"What is it? What did you see?" gasped Miss Leslie.

"Footprint," mumbled Blake, ashamed of his fright.

"A lion's?" cried Winthrop.

"Not so large—about the size of a human's. Must be a leopard's den up



Crept Back Down the Trail.

there. I heard a growl, and thought it about time to clear out."

"By Jove, we'd better withdraw around the point!"

"Withdraw your aunty! There's no leopard going to tackle us out here in open ground this time of day. The speaking tomcat! If only I had a match, I'd show him how we smoke rat holes."

"Mr. Winthrop spoke of rubbing sticks to make fire," suggested Miss Leslie.

"Make sweat, you mean. But we may as well try it now, if we're going to at all. The sun's hot enough to fry eggs. We'll go back to a shady place and pick up sticks on the way."

Though there was shade under the cliff within some 600 feet, they had to go some distance to the nearest dry wood—a dead thornbush. Here they gathered a quantity of branches, even Miss Leslie volunteering to carry a load.

All was thrown down in a heap near the cliff, and Blake squatted beside it, penknife in hand. Having selected the driest of the larger sticks, he bored a hole in one side and dropped in a pinch of powdered bark. Laying the stick in the full glare of the sun, he thrust a twig into the hole and began to twirl it between his palms. This movement he kept up for several minutes; but whether he was unable to twirl the twig fast enough or whether the right kind of wood or tinder was lacking all his efforts failed to produce a spark.

Unwilling to accept the failure, Winthrop insisted upon trying in turn, and pride held him to the task until he was drenched with sweat. The result was the same.

"Told you so," jeered Blake from where he lay in the shade. "We'd stand more chance cracking stones together."

"But what shall we do now?" asked Miss Leslie. "I am becoming very tired of coconuts, and there seems to be nothing else around here. Indeed, I think this is all such a waste of time. If we had walked straight along the shore this morning we might have reached a town."

"We might, Miss Jenny, and then, again, we mightn't. I happened to overhaul the captain's chart—Quillman, Mozambique—that's all for hundreds of miles. Towns on this coast are about as thick as hen's teeth."

"How about native villages?" demanded Winthrop.

"Oh, yes; maybe I'm fool enough to go into a wild nigger town without a gun. Maybe I didn't talk with fellows down on the Rand."

"But what shall we do?" repeated Miss Leslie, with a little frightened catch in her voice. She was at last beginning to realize what this rude break in her sheltered, pampered life might mean. "What shall we do? It's absurd to think of having to stay in this horrid country for weeks or perhaps months—unless some ship comes for us."

"Look here, Miss Leslie," answered Blake, sharply yet not unkindly; "suppose you just sit back and use your thimble a bit. If you're your daddy's daughter, you've got brains some-

where down under the boarding-school stuff."

"What do you mean, sir?"

"Now, don't get huffy, please! It's a question of think, not of putting on airs. Here we are, worse off than the people of the stone age. They had fire and flint axes; we've got nothing but our think tanks, and as to lions and leopards and that sort of thing. It strikes me we've got about as many on hand as they had."

"Then you and Mr. Winthrop should immediately arm yourselves."

"How?—But we'll leave that till later. What else?"

The girl gazed at the surrounding objects, her forehead wrinkled in the effort at concentration. "We must have water. Think how we suffered yesterday! Then there is shelter from wild beasts, and food, and—"

"All right here under our hands, if we had fire. Understand?"

"I understand about the water. You would frighten the leopard away with the fire; and if it would do that, it would also keep away the other animals at night. But as for food, unless we return for coconuts—"

"Don't give it up! Keep your thinker going on the side, while Pat tells us our next move. Now that he's got the fire sticks out of his head—"

"I say, Blake, I wish you would drop that name. It is no harder to say Winthrop."

"You're off, there," rejoined Blake. "But look here, I'll make it Win, if you figure out what we ought to do next."

"Really, Blake, that would not be half bad. They—or—they called me Win at Harrow."

"That so? My English chum went to Harrow—Jimmy Scarbridge."

"Lord James!—your chum?"

"He started in like you, sort of top-lofty. But he chummed all right—after I took out a lot of his British starch with a good walloping."

"Oh, really now, Blake, you can't expect any one with brains to believe that, you know?"

"No! I don't know, you know—and I don't know if you've got any brains, you know. Here's your chance to show us. What's our next move?"

"Really, now, I have had no experience in this sort of thing—don't interrupt, please! It seems to me that our first concern is shelter for the night. If we should return to your tree nest, we should also be near the cocoa palms."

"That's one side. Here's the other. Par to wade across—sharks and alligators; then swampy ground—malaria, mosquitoes, thorn jungle. Guess the hands of both of you are still sore enough, by their look."

"If only I had a pot of cold cream!" sighed Miss Leslie.

"If only I had a hunk of jerked beef!" echoed Blake.

"I say, why couldn't we chance it for the night around on the seaward face of the cliff?" asked Winthrop. "I noticed a place where the ledges overhang—almost a cave. Do you think it probable that any wild beast would venture so close to the sea?"

"Can't say. Didn't see any tracks; so we'll chance it for to-night. Next?"



"By morning I believe my ankle will be in such shape that I could go back for the string of coconuts which we dropped on the beach."

"I'll go myself, to-day, else we'll have no supper. Now we're getting down to bedrock. If those nuts have not been washed away by the tide, we're fixed for to-night; and for two meals, such as they are. But what next? Even the rain pools will be dried up by another day or so."

"Are not sea-birds good to eat?" inquired Miss Leslie.

"Some."

"Then, if only we could climb the cliff—might there not be another place?"

"No; I've looked at both sides. What's more, that spotted tomcat has got a monopoly on our water supply. The river may be fresh at low tide; but we've got nothing to boil water in, and such bayou stuff is just concentrated malaria."

"Then we must find water elsewhere," responded Miss Leslie. "Might we not succeed if we went on to the other ridge?"

"That's the ticket. You've got a headpiece, Miss Jenny! It's too late to start now. But first thing to-morrow I'll take a run down that way, while you two lay around camp and see if you can twist some sort of fish-line out of coconut fiber. By braiding your hair, Miss Jenny, you can spare us your hair-pins for hooks."

"But, Mr. Blake, I'm afraid—I'd rather you'd take us with you. With that dreadful creature so near—"

"Well, I don't know. Let's see your feet?"

Miss Leslie glanced at him, and thrust a slender foot from beneath her skirt.

"Um—stocking torn; but those slippers are tougher than I thought. Most of the way will be good walking, along the beach. We'll leave the fishing to Pat—er—beg pardon—Win! With his ankle—"

"By Jove, Blake, I'll chance the ankle. Don't leave me behind. I give you my word, you'll not have to lug me."

"Oh, of course, Mr. Winthrop must go with us!"

"Fraid to go alone, eh?" demanded Blake, frowning.

His tone startled and offended her; yet all he saw was a politely quizzical lifting of her brows.

"Why should I be afraid, Mr. Blake?" she asked.

Blake stared at her moodily. But when she met his gaze with a confident smile, he flushed and looked away.

"All right," he muttered; "we'll move camp together. But don't expect me to pack his ludship, if we draw a blank and have to trek back without food or water."

CHAPTER IX.

The Leopards' Den.



WHILE Blake made a successful trip for the abandoned coconuts, his companions leveled the stones beneath the ledges chosen by Winthrop, and gathered enough dried sea-weed along the talus to soften the hard beds.

Soothed by the monotonous wash of the sea among the rocks, even Miss Leslie slept well. Blake, who had insisted that she should retain his coat, was awakened by the chilliness preceding the dawn. Five minutes later they started on their journey.

The starlight glimmered on the waves and shed a faint radiance over the rocks. This and their knowledge of the way enabled them to pick a path along the foot of the cliff without difficulty. Once on the beach, they swung along at a smart gait, invigorated by the cool air.

Dawn found them half way to their goal. Blake called a halt when the first red streaks shot up the eastern sky. All stood waiting until the quickly following sun sprang forth from the sea. Blake's first act was to glance from one headland to the other, estimating their relative distances. His grunt of satisfaction was lost in Winthrop's exclamation: "By Jove, look at the cattle!"

The Public Eye.

In a little more we came to an open space, very thronged.

"The Public Eye!" shouted the megaphone man of our party.

There were some curious people within the space, but even more curious were those just outside.

Of these latter we thought certain women especially interesting; they were busily neglecting their families in order to get into the Public Eye. A pathos attached to another group of women who had been in the Public Eye and could never be happy out of it, though they couldn't in the least tell why.

Positively funny were a few men who kept trying, by a variety of droll devices, to break into the Public Eye. "Vice-presidential candidates!" the megaphone man explained.—Puck.

ONE OF THE FINEST OF CAKES

Orange Layers with Icing of the Same Flavor is a Popular Confection Everywhere.

Cream four ounces of butter with four ounces of sugar, then add gradually four well-beaten eggs, sift in half a pound of flour and one teaspoonful of baking powder, then add the grated rind of one orange and two table-spoonfuls of milk. Mix well and divide into buttered and floured layer tins, spread evenly and quickly and bake in a hot oven for about fifteen minutes. Turn out to cool.

Now take the strained juice of half an orange and half a lemon, put them into a small saucepan, add a level table-spoonful of cornstarch, moistened with one gill of cold water, add the grated rind of half an orange and four heaping table-spoonfuls of sugar. Stir over the fire till the cythicken. When cool spread between the two pieces of cake.

Then ice with orange icing. To make the orange frosting, pare the rind very thinly from one orange and soak it in the juice for one hour and a half. Sift eight ounces of confectioners' sugar into a basin, add the strained juice. Beat for a few minutes and spread on the cake. Cut into neat squares or triangles.

MAKES A GOOD SALAD BORDER

Rice, with Flavoring Ingredients, Goes Well with Any of the Season's Light Dishes.

Wash thoroughly three ounces of rice, then put it into a saucepan, cover it generously with water and bring to boiling point; then strain off the water, wash the rice well in cold water, return it to the pan with one pint of milk, add a bay leaf, an onion stuck with two cloves, salt and red pepper to taste.

Cook very gently till the rice is tender and the liquid is reduced to one gill, then lift out the bay leaf and the onion and dissolve in the rice half a teaspoonful of powdered gelatine.

When this is perfectly dissolved turn the whole into a basin and when cool mix in lightly half a cupful of stiffly whipped cream.

Have ready a plain border ring mold lined with aspic jelly and garnished with tiny sprigs of parsley and paprika; then pour the rice into this, let it set, then turn out on to a dainty dish and serve with any delicate salad and chopped aspic jelly.

Excellent Barley Water.

Wipe very clean, by rolling it in a soft cloth, two table-spoonfuls of pearl barley; put it into a quart jug, with a lump or two of sugar, a grain or two of salt and a strip of lemon peel, cut thin; fill up the jug with boiling water and keep the mixture gently stirred for some minutes, then cover it and let it stand until perfectly cold. In 12 hours, or less, it will be fit for use, but it is better when made over night. If these directions be followed, the barley water will be comparatively clear, and very soft and pleasant to drink. After the barley water has been poured off once, the jug may be filled with boiling water a second time, if desired.

Flemish Onions.

Slice full grown new onions for an hour. Slice an equal number of sour green apples. Drain the onions, dry them in a cloth, and dredge them and also the apples with flour, and lightly brown in hot butter. Then lay them in alternate layers in a buttered pudding dish, with a light dredging of crumbs between the layers, sprinkling each layer with a table-spoonful of sugar, a teaspoonful of lemon juice, and dotting with bits of butter. Bake for ten minutes.

Cinnamon Rolls.

When baking take enough dough to make a common-sized loaf of bread and either roll it out or pound it until it is quite thin; then sprinkle cinnamon and a cupful of sugar over it and spread on three-quarters of a cupful of butter. Roll as you would for roll jelly cakes and slice crosswise into pieces about half an inch thick. Let them rise until light and bake in about the same temperature you would use for bread. These are excellent with coffee.

Zephyr.

Cut 1½ pounds of rhubarb into thin slices, cover with water, and add one bay leaf, one stick of bark cinnamon; cook until fruit is tender then strain; add to juice one cupful of sugar and simmer ten minutes, then add one pint of orange juice, juice of three lemons, and half cupful of preserved ginger juice. Serve in tall glasses with shaved ice.

Easy Washing.

Soak clothes in cold water 20 minutes. Wring out and soap soiled spots. Fill boiler half full of cold water. Put in one heaping table-spoonful of washing soda and one-half bar of soap, sliced. Put clothes in boiler and bring slowly to a boil. Rinse well. Flannels and colored goods are easily washed in the suds in which the white clothes were boiled.

When Making Plaits.

In making plaits in skirts, particularly in wash materials, if the plaits are stitched on the inside close to the outer edge where it is creased about half way down the plaits will always be easy to keep in place when ironed.

French Fried Onions.

Peel the onions, cut in one-fourth inch slices and separate into rings. Dip in milk, drain, and dip in flour. Fry in deep fat, drain, and sprinkle with salt. Try this preparation with your next slice of breakfast.

DANGER NOT CLOSE AT HAND

Men Will Run Things a Few Years Yet is the Prophecy of the Ob-servant Drummer.

A group of men were discussing the possibilities and dangers of woman suffrage. All but one expressed the fear that the movement was gaining such momentum that in a comparatively short time this fair land would be transformed and man no longer would be master. The exception, a commercial traveler, with years of experience in studying human nature, scoffed at their alarm.

"Don't worry," he said. "We'll be safe for a good many years yet. In all my trips about the country I find that two-thirds of the women travelers, even those who are self-reliant enough to gallivant about alone, can't go to bed even in a sleeping car without first looking under the berth to see if there is a man there. So long as that primitive feminine instinct survives our institutions are safe."

BABY HORRIBLY BURNED.

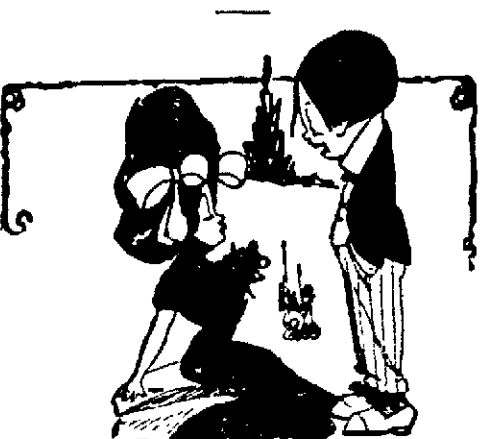
By Boiling Grease—Skin All Came Off One Side of Face and Head—Thought Her Disfigured for Life.

Used Cuticura: No Scar Left.

"My baby was sitting beside the fender and we were preparing the breakfast when the frying-pan full of boiling grease was upset and it went all over one side of her face and head. Some one wiped the scald with a towel, pulling the entire skin off. We took her to a doctor. He tended her a week and gave me some stuff to put on. But it all festered and I thought the baby was disfigured for life. I used about three boxes of Cuticura Ointment and it was wonderful how it healed. In about five weeks it was better and there wasn't a mark to tell where the scald had been. Her skin is just like velvet. Mrs. Hare, 1, Henry St., South Shields, Durham, England, March 22, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

NOTHING DOING.



He—I'd kiss you if I dared. She—Well, don't you dare to if that's the way you feel about it.

PATIENT SUFFERING.

Many Women Think They Are Doomed to Backache.

It is not right for women to be always ailing with backache, urinary ills, headache and other symptoms of kidney disease. There is a way to end these troubles quickly. Mrs. John H. Wright, 606 East First St., Mitchell, S. D., says: "I suffered ten years with kidney complaint and a doctor told me I would never get more than temporary relief. A dragging pain and lameness in my back almost disabled me. Dizzy spells came and went and the kidney secretions were irregular. Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of these troubles and I feel better than for years past."

Sold by all dealers. 50c. a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

When the Umbrella Took Fire. Thomas Simpson, the Detroit malleable iron man, is a grave and dignified person, but once he made a joke.

He was sitting with a party of friends, one of whom was smoking an enormous cigar. The friend had difficulty in keeping the cigar going, and by his repeated lightings had frazzled the end of it until it was about twice its original size. But he kept bravely at it.

Suddenly Simpson began to laugh. "What are you laughing at, Tom?" asked another member of the party.

"I was wondering what Jim would do when that umbrella he is smoking begins to blaze," he said.—Saturday Evening Post.

Care in Preparing Food.

In recent years scientists have proved that the value of food is measured largely by its purity; the result is the most stringent pure food laws that have ever been known.

One food that has stood out prominently as a perfectly clean and pure food and which was as pure before the enactment of these laws as it could possibly be is Quaker Oats: conceded by the experts to be the ideal food for making strength of muscle and brain. The best and cheapest of all foods. The Quaker Oats Company is the only manufacturer of oatmeal that has satisfactorily solved the problem of removing the husks and black specks which are so annoying when other brands are eaten. If you are convenient to the store buy the regular size packages; if not near the store, buy the large size family packages.

On Hill's Twofers.

Beacon—Is Shady much of a smoker?

Hill—Not at home, but you ought to see him when he comes over to spend the evening with me!

SPILLED.



Wiggs—Waiter, this steak is too tough to eat. Take it back.
Waiter—Sorry, sir, but I can't; you've bent it.

Grant's Leap.

It is related of Gen. Grant that one real record that he made for himself at the academy, the one time that he excelled all his fellows, was at the final mounted exercises of his graduating class, when, riding a famous horse named York, he was called upon to clear the leaping-bar that the gruff old riding master had placed higher than a man's head. He dashed out from his place, a smooth-faced, slender young fellow on a powerful chestnut sorrel, and galloped down the opposite side of the hall, turned, and came directly at the bar, the great horse increasing his pace as he neared it, and then, as if he and his rider were one, rising and clearing it with a magnificent bound. The leap is still recorded at the academy as "Grant's upon York." When Grant started out to do a thing he would do it if it were in man's power. This was the impression that he made upon everybody, as ex-Secretary Welles wrote in his interesting diary.

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Make Yourself at Home.

Last summer five-year-old Lola's aunt came to spend a week with them.
"Now, aunty," said Lola, "you must make yourself at home."
"How can I do that, dear?" queried her aunt.
"Why," answered Lola, "you can pitch in and help mamma work."

Drowning the Sound.

Helen—You enjoy singing?
Grace (raising her voice to high pitch)—Not particularly.
Helen—Then why do you sing?
Grace—Why, father is eating corn off the cob.

At Rip Van Winkle's Hotel.
"What time do you want to be called, Rip?"
"In about 20 years."

Do your feet ever feel tired, aching and sore at night? Rub them with a little Hamline Wizard Oil. They'll be glad in the morning and so will you.

Cathedral Insured for Large Sum.
St. Paul's Cathedral, London, is insured for \$475,000.

Lewis' Single Binder gives the smoker a rich, mellow-tasting cigar, one that smokes and tastes better than most 10c cigars.

It's too much to expect cross-bred dogs to be amiable.

Mrs. Winslow's Anodyne Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. See bottle.

A guilty conscience is apt to be its own excuser.

AFTER DOCTORS FAILED

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her.

Willimantic, Conn.—"For five years I suffered untold agony from female troubles, causing backache, irregularities, dizziness and nervous prostration. It was impossible for me to walk upstairs without stopping on the way. I tried three different doctors and each told me something different. I received no benefit from any of them, but seemed to suffer more. The last doctor said nothing would restore my health. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to see what it would do, and I am restored to my natural health."—Mrs. ETTA DONOVAN, Box 29, Willimantic, Conn.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills, and suffering women owe it to themselves to at least give this medicine a trial. "Proof is abundant that it has cured thousands of others, and why should it not cure you?"

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS

Ashland.—Rev. Stanley E. Lathrop, for a number of years financial agent and treasurer of the North Wisconsin academy, a branch of Northland college, a Congregational church educational institution, has been found \$5,000 short in his accounts. Lathrop's property, valued at several thousand dollars, will be turned over to Northland college. Lathrop was forced to resign as treasurer of the academy in 1905. It was also disclosed that Lathrop solicited funds under the pretense of poverty and as an unpaid officer of the institution. Lathrop confessed and promised to make restitution. Lathrop recently resigned as pastor of the Congregational church at Solon Springs and Minong.

Racine.—Owen Thornton is in jail here on a charge of attempting to kill his wife by forcing her to take carbolic acid. Three years ago Thornton and the woman were married here. When a child was born he deserted his wife, and left her in destitute circumstances. He came back to Racine and went to the home of his wife, who was keeping house for F. W. Smith, 1429 Douglas avenue, and wanted her to withdraw divorce papers and live with him again, which she refused. Then he attempted to poison her.

Milwaukee.—John R. Holne, aged 23 years, a son of Paul Holne, 944 Racine street, and a fireman on the revenue cutter Tuscarora, is locked up in the Central police station, Detroit, Mich., charged with murder. It is charged that he beat to death an unidentified man whose corpse was found in the Detroit river. According to Detroit dispatches, received by Holne's father, the young man was so drunk when arrested that he did not realize the seriousness of the charge brought against him.

Racine.—On the Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light Company interurban car from Kenosha there was a bloody stabbing affray. Eric Priske, or Cline, 35 years old, a married man, with a wife and four children, was dismembered and was taken to St. Mary's hospital, while Charles Rose, a resident of 1214 Superior street, is held as his assailant. It was impossible to learn the real name of the victim, who was in terrible agony.

Oscoda.—Capt. F. Wikke, for many years a resident of this village and county, died at his home in the village of chronic nephritis, aged 73 years. Mr. Wikke was during Cleveland's last administration postmaster for five or six years. The captain was born in Germany and for many years was a sea captain previously to coming to Oscoda. He is survived by his aged wife.

Madison.—A practical understanding has been reached between the Eastern Wisconsin Railroad & Light Company on the one hand and the Milwaukee and Northwestern roads on the other, regarding a crossing at grade by the interurban line of the rights of way of the steam roads. A hearing bearing on this matter was held before the state railroad commission.

Merrill.—Miss Marie Stevenson, aged 23, and Miss Clara Stevenson, aged 16, sisters, residents of Merrill, were drowned at Ballard lake, in the north woods, by the upsetting of a sailboat. The young women were out for an after-supper sail. While rounding an island, the boom swung around, swept them overboard and overturned the craft.

Milwaukee.—The congregation of Calvary Presbyterian church was given a surprise Sunday morning when Rev. William E. Graham announced his resignation as pastor of the church and asked the congregation to join with him in a petition to the presbytery that the resignation be accepted.

Eau Claire.—The local police department are informed to be on the look-out for two inmates of the home for Indian boys at Tomah, who escaped. They are supposed to be headed in this direction. They are aged 17 and 18, respectively, one being a quarter breed and the other a half breed.

La Crosse.—While performing the good Samaritan act, Jerry Sullivan, aged 78 years, was fatally injured. He was helping a neighbor cut down a tree across the street from his home and backing into the road to look at the top of the tree, was struck by a street car.

Milwaukee.—The present city administration was criticized by Rev. C. W. Turner in the course of his sermon in the Sherman Street Methodist church. The subject of the sermon was "Whom God Delights to Honor."

Eau Claire.—The assessed valuation of property in the city of Eau Claire for the year 1909, both real estate and personal, is \$9,524,874, an increase of \$24,829 over the total assessed valuation of the city in 1908.

Askeaton.—The drought and hot winds have injured the corn crop fully 40 per cent. There will not be potatoes enough for home consumption.

Janesville.—The ninety-seventh annual Seventh Day Baptist church convention which has been held in Milton was closed. A thousand delegates have been in attendance and they have been fed in huge dining tents on the Milton college campus and housed in the college buildings.

Manitowish.—Fire Chief J. Kratz, after an investigation by the fire and police commission, was censured for failing to respond to a fire he thought was outside the city and for failing to keep the alarm system in repair. Two of the commissioners favored suspending the chief for 30 days.

VALUE PAINTED ON.

Well painted is value added whether the house be built for one thousand dollars or ten thousand. Well painted means higher selling value, and higher occupying value—for there's an additional pleasure in living in the house that is well dressed.

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Vainly Seek Health in Southwest.

According to a statement of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis fully 7,180 persons hopelessly diseased with tuberculosis annually come to die in the states of California, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and Colorado, most of them by order of their physicians. The statement, which is based upon the testimony of well-known experts, and all available statistics, shows that at least 50 per cent. of those who go to the southwest every year for their health are so far advanced in their disease that they cannot hope for a cure in any climate, under any circumstances. More than this, at least 60 per cent. of these advanced cases are so poor that they have not sufficient means to provide for the proper necessities of life, which means that 4,315 consumptives are either starved to death or forced to accept charitable relief every year.

A Question of Grammar.

Hetty's uncle, who was a school teacher, met her on the street one beautiful May day and asked her if she was going out with the Maying party.

"No, I ain't going."
"Oh, my little dear," said her uncle, "you must not say 'I ain't going,'" and he proceeded to give her a little lesson in grammar. "You are not going. He is not going. We are not going. You are not going. They are not going. Now, can you say all that, Hetty?"
"Sure I can," she replied, making a courtesy. "There ain't nobody going."
—Lutheran.

Not Ambiguous at All.

The donkey is—or has been—associated with party politics in other countries besides our own.

In one of England's elections a candidate for parliament, the late Lord Bath, called attention to himself by means of a donkey over whose back two panniers were slung, bearing a ribbon band on which was printed: "Vote for Papa."

It must be added, however, that in each panner stood one of Lord Bath's daughters.—Youth's Companion.

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SENSE ABOUT FOOD Facts About Food Worth Knowing.

It is a serious question sometimes to know just what to eat when a person's stomach is out of order and most foods cause trouble.

Grape-Nuts food can be taken at any time with the certainty that it will digest. Actual experience of people is valuable to anyone interested in foods.

A Terre Haute woman writes: "I had suffered with indigestion for about four years, ever since an attack of typhoid fever, and at times could eat nothing but the very lightest food, and then suffer such agony with my stomach I would wish I never had to eat anything."

"I was urged to try Grape-Nuts and since using it I do not have to starve myself any more, but I can eat at any time and feel nourished and satisfied, dyspepsia is a thing of the past, and I am now strong and well."

"My husband also had an experience with Grape-Nuts. He was very weak and sickly in the spring. Could not attend to his work. He was under the doctor's care but medicine did not seem to do him any good until he began to leave off ordinary food and use Grape-Nuts. It was positively surprising to see the change in him. He grew better right off, and naturally he had none but words of praise for Grape-Nuts."

"Our boy thinks he cannot eat a meal without Grape-Nuts, and he learns so fast at school that his teacher and other scholars comment on it. I am satisfied that it is because of the great nourishing elements in Grape-Nuts."

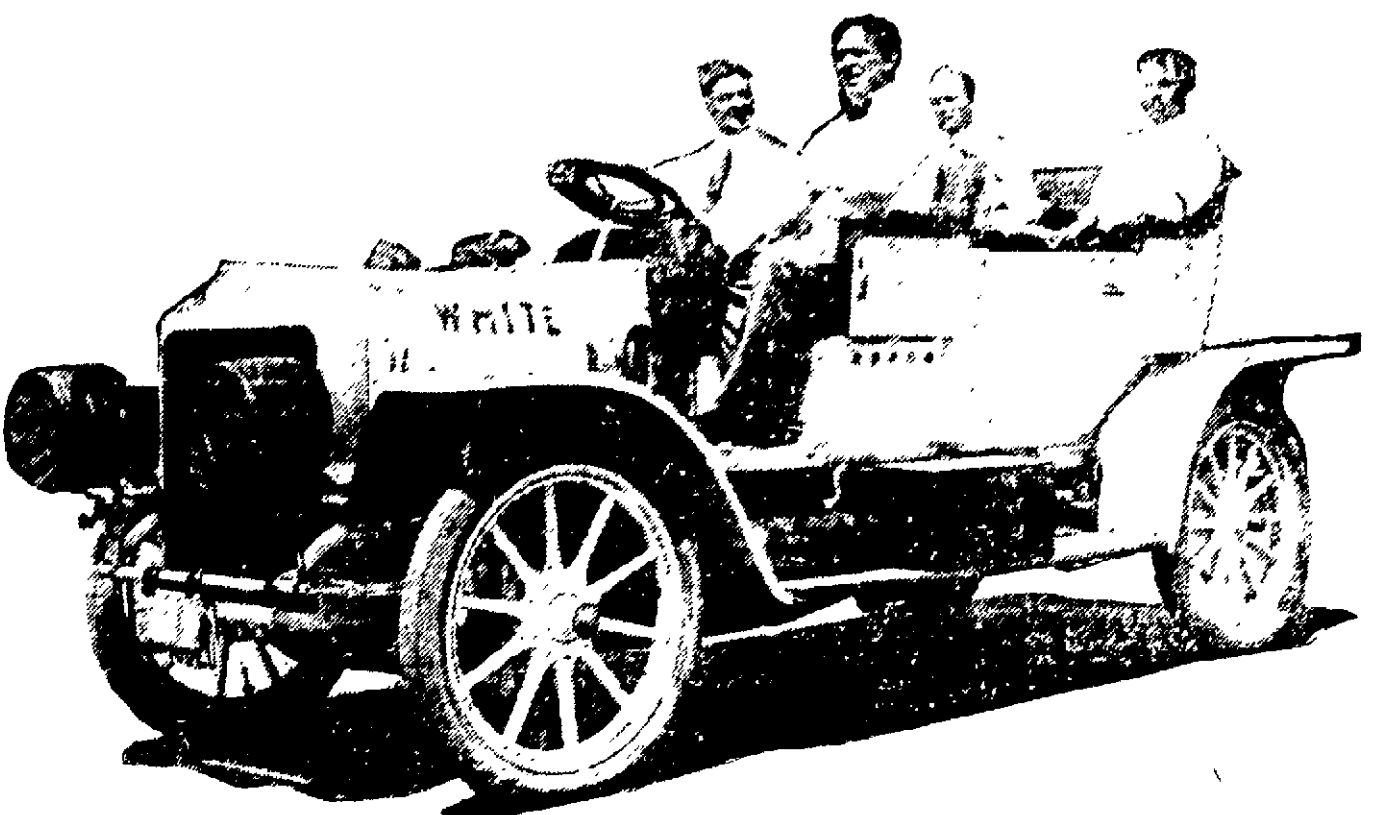
"There's a Reason."

It contains the phosphate of potash from wheat and barley which combine with albumen to make the gray matter to daily refill the brain and nerve centers.

It is a pity that people do not know what to feed their children. There are many mothers who give their youngsters almost any kind of food and when they become sick begin to pour the medicine down them. The real way is to stick to proper food and be healthy and get along without medicine and expense.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

White Steamers Use Kerosene as Fuel



THE WHITE STEAMER WHICH MADE A SUCCESSFUL PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION OF KEROSENE AS FUEL ON THE RECENT 2650-MILE GLIDDEN TOUR.

The most interesting announcement ever made in connection with the automobile industry was undoubtedly that made a month or two ago to the effect that the new models of the White Steam Cars could be run on kerosene, or coal oil, instead of gasoline. Everyone at once recognized that the use of the new fuel would add materially to the advantages which the White already possessed over other types of cars. There were some people, however, who were sceptical as to whether or not the new fuel could be used with complete success, and, therefore, the makers of the White Car, the White Company, of Cleveland, Ohio, determined to make a public demonstration of the new fuel in the 1909 Glidden Tour.

From the standpoint of the public, no test more satisfactory could have been selected. First of all, the distance covered on the Glidden Tour, from Detroit to Denver and thence to Kansas City, was 2650 miles. This was certainly more than sufficient to bring out any weaknesses, if such had existed. Still more important was the fact that the car was at all times while on the road under the supervision of observers named by those who entered other contesting cars. Therefore, it would have been impossible for the driver of the White to have even tightened a bolt without the fact being noted and a penalty inflicted. At night the cars were guarded by Pinkerton detectives and could not be approached by any one.

The complete success of the new fuel while on the 2650-mile public test and the advantages gained through its use were well described in the following dispatch which the correspondent of the New York Sun sent to his paper at the conclusion of the tour:

"A feature of the tour which was watched with special interest was that the White Steamer used kerosene, or 'coal oil,' as fuel instead of gasoline. The new fuel worked splendidly throughout the 2650-mile journey, and all claims made in its behalf were fully proven. First of all, as regards cheapness, the White driver secured kerosene all along the route from 6 cents to 10 cents cheaper per gallon than was paid for gasoline. Secondly, the new fuel was handled without any precautions, and it was not unusual to see kerosene being poured into the fuel tank while the crew of the car and an interested crowd stood by with lighted cigars and cigarettes. At the finish of the tour, the White was the only car permitted by the authorities to enter Convention Hall, where the technical examination took place, without draining its fuel tank. Thirdly, the new fuel proved to be absolutely without smoke or smell. Fourthly, kerosene could be purchased at whatever part of the route was most convenient, and not once during the trip through the ten States of the Middle West was there found a grocery store where kerosene was not readily and cheaply obtainable. Finally, the

amount of fuel used on the trip showed that kerosene is at least fifteen per cent. more efficient, gallon for gallon, than gasoline. The car in other respects made a most creditable showing, and there was the usual rivalry among the observers to be assigned to the White so that they could ride with the maximum of comfort. The only adjustments or repairs charged against the car during the long trip were tightening a lubricator pipe and wiring a damaged mud guard. These penalties were not inflicted until more than 2000 miles had been completed with an absolutely perfect score."

A particularly interesting feature of the new White Steamer is that either kerosene or gasoline may be used as fuel. The necessary adjustments so that the fuel may be changed from kerosene to gasoline, or vice versa, may be made in a couple of minutes; but so completely successful has kerosene proved to be, that it is not believed that any purchasers will care to use gasoline.

The White Company report that the demand for their new steam cars—both the \$2000-model and the \$4000-model—exceed their most sanguine expectations. It is evident that the combination of steam—the power which everyone understands and has confidence in—with kerosene—the fuel which everyone has on hand and can handle without any danger—is thoroughly appreciated by up-to-date purchasers of automobiles.

FAINT HEART AND FAIR LADY

Chances Good That the Ancient Adage Once More Proved Wisdom of Man Who Uttered It.

He was afraid to tell her right out and out that he loved her, so he began in a round-about way, hoping she would catch his drift, then betray, by her confusion, her own feelings. He didn't dream but that she loved him, but thought that she, like himself, was afraid to demonstrate it.

"Heart trouble?" she repeated. "Are you sure you've heart trouble, Alfred? You know indigestion is very like it at times."

"Oh, I know I've got heart trouble all right. I can't you see it yourself?"

"Why, how silly, Alfred; no one can see heart trouble; they have to feel it. Have you taken anything for it?"

"No, not yet, but I—I want to, don't you know?"

"Then why don't you?"

"I—I would; that is, if I could get it."

"Can't you get it, Alfred?"

"I—I don't know."

"Have you tried?"

"No, not yet."

(Silence for two protracted minutes.)

"Alfred!" (coldly.)

"Yes?"

"Let's have a game of checkers."

And All with Company There.

"Now, children," said the mother, as a whole roomful of company had come in, "suppose you run off and play by yourselves."

"All right, mother," replied Edith.

"Can we go up and play Hamlet and Ophelia?"

"Certainly," smiled the mother, while her guests looked on at the tableau.

"Goody!" replied Edith; then, turning to her sister, she said, "Now, Maude, you run up to mamma's room and get all her false hair that you can find"—Judge.

Brooklyn Flag Factory.

One of the biggest official flag factories in the world is in the Brooklyn navy yard. Between eighty and one hundred women work there all the year round making flags for the use of Uncle Sam's fighting ships. They use up 120,000 yards of bunting a year and fashion 418 different kinds of official flags. The flags cost \$20,000 a year.

Too Conscientious to Rest.
"And where do you go for your summer vacation?"
"To the assembly grounds."
"What a delightful period of rest and relaxation you must anticipate."
"Oh, not at all. We always make it a point to attend every lecture."
—Cleveland Plain Dealer

MURDER IN A GREAT CITY

It Seems Easy for Assassin to Escape After Committing Foul Deed.

Within a few weeks at least four atrocious murders have been committed in New York, and in no case have the police been able to intercept the criminals. To a degree this reflects upon the intelligence of the detective force, yet in justice to the police the difficulties confronting those who set out to trail assassins in a big city should not be overlooked. It is easy to clamor against the police when a murder mystery remains unsolved, but it is well to remember that all great centers of population have their mysterious crimes and their unraveled clues, and that this is as true of European cities, where the science of detection has been brought to its highest estate, as it is of cities in the United States.

There are innumerable holes and corners in this huge metropolis where taking of life can be accomplished without the cries of the victim being heard by any human being. The ease with which a man choked and beat a woman to death in a dark and obscure hallway on East Thirteenth street the other night and then coolly slipped away from the neighborhood of his crime is typical of the facilities the city offers to criminals of the worst sort. There are hundreds of tenements on the east and west sides of Manhattan where the sounds of a fatal scuffle would attract no more than passing attention from the people accustomed to drunken brawls and family squabbles.

And not more difficult than the commission of crime is the escape of the criminal after crime has been committed. Give to a murderer a reasonable start and there is no place in the world where he can so readily cover up his tracks and escape notice as in a city of 4,000,000 people. And this is more especially true in those cases where a fugitive can count on the assistance of friends to help in baffling the police, an assistance too commonly rendered in the foreign quarters of New York.—Brooklyn Eagle

A Suspicious Silence.

Howard was only 20 months older than the baby. He had somehow come to realize that Elwood, who was creeping, was more likely to be in mischief when quiet. One day he called to his mother with a great deal of anxiety in his little voice. "Mamma, I hear Elwood keeping still."

Expectation.

His Daughter—Father, I wish you'd stay home to-night. Mr. Slowboy will want to ask you for my hand.

Her Father—Has he really proposed at last?

His Daughter—No; but he will to-night.

W. N. U., CHICAGO, NO. 37-1909.

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BETZVILLE TALES

Mr. Pethcod Scroggs' Identical Twins

By Ellis Parker Butler
Author of "Pigs is Pigs" Etc.
ILLUSTRATED BY PETER NEWELL

Mr. Pethcod Scroggs, of our village, has almost more trouble than any other man in Betzville, his twins are so identically alike. It makes it all the worse that both twins are identically the same age, for it would be easier to tell them apart if one was a few years older than the other. Pethcod says he does not often complain about the ways of nature, but that if he had had the inventing of twins, he would have left an interval of, say, four or eight years between them, or, if they had to be of the same age, he would have sort of distributed them into two different families. He says he considers two twins at once in the same family as almost a personal insult.

Last Wednesday one of Pethcod's four-year-old twins wandered away from the house and got lost in the big woods back of Uncle Jed Freeman's farm, and it worried Pethcod and Mrs. Scroggs nearly crazy. It was about five o'clock when he had a feeling that maybe one of the twins was lost, but he didn't know whether it was John or Joe. He went out



She Went Leaping Through the Big Woods, Yelling as Loud as She Could.

into the yard, and there was one of the twins, scooting around as lively as could be, and then Pethcod ran around to the other side of the house, and there was the other twin—or at least it seemed so—but he couldn't be sure, the twins are so lively. Pethcod says he ran around the house for over an hour, and sometimes he thought it was both twins and sometimes he thought it was only one, moving from place to place, but at last he got so puzzled that he took the twin and tied it to the pump, and then when he went around the house he saw that there was no other twin there, and he knew the other twin must have wandered into the big woods and got lost.

It was getting on toward dark by then, and Pethcod knew that the only thing to do was to get a search party and search the woods, and he would have done it immediately, but he couldn't decide which twin it was that was lost. He stood and looked at the twin that he had tied to the pump, and sometimes he thought it was John, and sometimes he thought it was Joe, but he couldn't be positive, and until he could be sure he wasn't going to start a search party, for it would be plumb foolish to start out a search party to find a twin that wasn't lost.

About the time he was getting perfectly discouraged Mrs. Scroggs came out, and he told her what was the matter, and she stood awhile and looked at the captive twin, and then she spoke right up.

"That's John!" she said positively. "All right then," said Pethcod, and he went right down to the post office and gave the alarm that Joe was lost in the big woods, and Uncle Ashdod Clute immediately got on a box and organized a public meeting to consider the best thing to do. The first thing he did was to nominate himself chairman of the meeting, and he appointed Pethcod secretary, and named a vice-chairman and a second vice-chairman. So that got things started all right, and Pethcod wrote a letter to himself, stating that Joe was lost, and then he read the letter to the meeting, and it was the unanimous opinion that the matter was

TRIFLES TO TEMPT

SOME SPECIAL AND VERY GOOD SUMMER DESSERTS.

Few After-Dinner Dainties Better Than Baked Alaska—Clear Wine Jelly Also Good—To Make Shrimp Salad.

An ideal summer dessert is baked Alaska. To make it, pack a round mold with vanilla ice cream. Cover and bind the seams of the mold with strips of muslin dipped in melted paraffin. Repack in ice and salt, and stand aside for at least two hours. At serving time turn the ice cream on a folded napkin on a platter. Beat the whites of four eggs until light, add four tablespoons of powdered sugar, and whip until light and dry. Cover the ice cream thoroughly with this meringue and dust well with powdered sugar. Stand the platter on a cold board and run the whole in a hot oven for a moment to brown. Serve at once.

Another delicious dessert for hot weather is a clear wine jelly. Soak a half box of gelatin in a half cup of water. Add one-half pound of sugar and 2½ cups of boiling water. Stir until the gelatin is dissolved. Then add the juice and grated rind of one lemon and one orange, a cup of sherry, one-half cup of brandy and one-half cup of Maraschino. Add last the beaten whites and crushed shells of two eggs. When all has boiled a few minutes strain through very fine cheesecloth into a mold and set on the ice. Serve with a large bowl of whipped cream or vanilla ice cream and whole Maraschino cherries.

Shrimp salad is delicious and is made by cutting a cup of shrimps into dice and mixing with half a cup of celery chopped, a half cup of chopped tart apple and a half cup of broken English walnut meats. Season with salt and pepper and a dash of paprika and serve on crisp lettuce leaves with mayonnaise.

An Excellent Trifle.

An excellent trifle can be made by cutting stale sponge cake into slices then spreading them with raspberry jam.

Arrange them in a pretty glass dish. Sprinkle over them some crushed macaroons. It must be well soaked with wine. Sherry, with a few spoonfuls of brandy, is the nicest mixture with which to soak it. Then heap roughly all over in some whipped and flavored cream.

Decorate the top with glace cherries cut in halves and pieces of shredded almonds. Instead of the cream you might put some good custard, and heap on it stiffly whipped whites of egg which have been sweetened and flavored.

Butter Scotch Pie.

Make a rich under piecrust, perforate it full of holes with fork and bake.

First part—Melt butter size of walnut in a skillet, one cup brown sugar and four tablespoonfuls of milk. Let boil five minutes.

Second part—Beat yolks of two eggs, one cup of milk and two tablespoonfuls flour (which has been stirred smooth in a little water) all together and pour it in first part and let it boil until thick, stirring all the time. When cooked pour in the pie pan; beat up the whites; spread on top and brown.

Scotch Shortbread.

Two pounds of flour, one pound of butter, one-quarter of a pound of castor sugar, half an ounce of caraway seeds, one ounce of cut sweet almonds, a few strips of candied peel. Beat the butter to a cream, dredge in the flour, add sugar, seeds, and almonds. Work the paste until quite smooth; divide into six pieces. Put each cake on a separate paper, roll out to the thickness of one inch, pinch sides and prick the top. Bake for twenty to thirty minutes.

To Simplify Laundrying.

Take a bar of any good laundry soap, cut and boil in one-gallon of water until all dissolved, then add scant half-cupful of kerosene. Let all come to a boil. Then fill a tub two-thirds full of cold water, pour in the mixture, put in all your white wash and let stand over night. In the morning ring out and scald and rinse in the usual way. You will find your wash clean and of snowy whiteness, with little labor.

Recipe for Railway Cake.

Ingredients: Three ounces of flour, two ounces of sugar, two ounces of butter, a pinch of salt, milk, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one egg, and salt together, then add beaten egg, melted butter and sufficient milk to mix; then add baking powder; put in a greased tin, and bake in a moderate oven for about twenty minutes. This has been tried with unfailing success by the sender.

Keeping Silver Bright.

If a liberal sprinkling of baking soda is added to the boiling water in which silver cutlery is immersed, it will come out clean and bright; also use a little soda and alcohol to remove dark or persistent stains on silver. This is better than the mineral compounds, as soda is soluble, and, therefore, requires less work to gain good results.

To Peel Oranges.

Pour scalding water over the oranges let them stand five minutes. You will save time in peeling them. The thick white skin that is so hard to get off will come off with the outside peeling and the fruit will be ready to slice.

FERTILE FARMS FOR THOUSANDS

AT THE OPENING OF THE STANDING ROCK AND CHEYENNE RIVER INDIAN RESERVATIONS.

Registration at Moberg, Lemmon or Aberdeen, S. D., October 4 to 23.

The opening of the Standing Rock and Cheyenne River Indian Reservations in South Dakota and North Dakota in October will give thousands of people 160 acres of fertile farming lands for a small sum per acre.

If you intend to engage in farming or are now farming and wish to change your location, why not register for one of these farms? It costs nothing to register.

Aberdeen, South Dakota, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and Moberg and Lemmon, South Dakota, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, are points of registration. You can register any day from October 4 to 23. The drawing will take place at Aberdeen on October 26. This land opening will also give you a splendid opportunity to see the wonderful country opened through the construction of the new line to the Pacific Coast, at small additional cost over your railroad fare to points of registration.

Folders regarding this land opening and the country along the new line in South Dakota, North Dakota and Montana, free of charge, will be sent on request to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., Chicago, Illinois.

FOR WET FEET.



The Chick—What's the matter?
The Duckling—You'd cry, too, if your ma made you wear overshoes when you went swimming.

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Pests Worried by Pests.

Since the Dutch philosopher Leuwenhoek discovered that the pupa of the flea was sometimes preyed on by the larvae of a mite, it has been well known that various small insects have their external parasites. And a recent communication to the Comptes Rendus of the Biological society of Paris by M. Bruyant, shows that many mosquitoes carry about mites in the larval stage. Those described belong to four different genera. They probably feed on the integumentary structures of the mosquitoes.

GOVERNMENT HOMESTEADS

One and one-half million acres of farming and grazing land will be opened for settlement in the Cheyenne River and Standing Rock Indian Reservation October 4th to 23d. Fast daily through trains direct to Pierre and Aberdeen, S. D., the registration points, via the Chicago & North Western Ry. Write for descriptive pamphlets giving maps and full particulars to W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., C. & N. W. Ry., Chicago, Ill.

It Was His Way.

A Kansas farmer was telling recently about the eavesdropping that goes on along the farmers' telephone line he is on. He said that whenever he talked he could hear the "click, click" of different receivers coming down.

"And you can bet," he amended, "that they never hear my receiver coming down. No, sir; I always hold on to the thing and let it down so easy that it doesn't click!"—Kansas City Journal

Adjustable.

Aunt Anne, an old family dandy, was sitting with knees crossed in the kitchen, when the young daughter of the house entered and, impressed with the hugeness of the old woman's feet, asked what size shoe she wore.

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OPENING OF CHEYENNE RIVER INDIAN RESERVATION.

The General Land Office at Washington has designated Le Beau and Aberdeen, So. Dak., on the Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. as registration points.

There will be about 7000 quarter sections allotted to settlers.

Who May Secure a Homestead.

Under the homestead laws of the United States any person, male or female, who is not the owner of more than 160 acres of land in any state or territory, who is a native born citizen of the United States, or has been naturalized, or declared his intention to become a naturalized citizen of the United States (i. e., one who has taken out his first papers of citizenship), who is over the age of 21 years or the head of a family, may make a homestead entry of not exceeding 160 acres of any of the unoccupied public lands of the United States.

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Idaho Irrigated Land Opening.

Write at once to H. L. Hollister, 205 La Salle St., Chicago, for free booklet and map with announcement of the opening, Sept. 20, of 50,000 acres of irrigated Government land under the Carey Act in the Twin Falls country, Southern Idaho. Here is a chance to get on easy terms a profitable farm home, where crops never fail.

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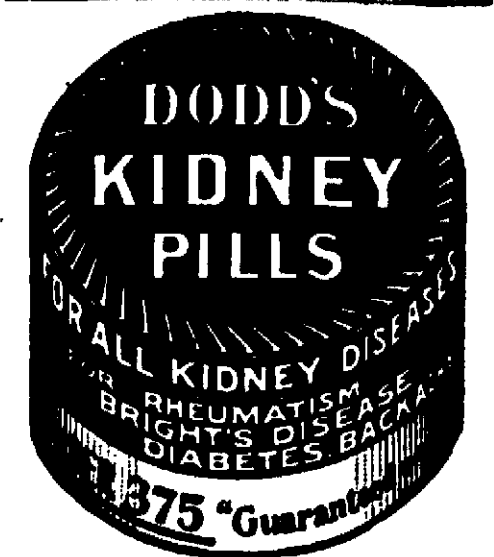
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